

## GOV. TAYLOR IS IN A BAD DILEMMA

Has Not Decided What He Will Do with Peace Treaty.

## URGED TO STAND FIRM

Republican Members of the Legislature Not in Favor of an Agreement.

Governor Taylor Receives Encouragement from Republicans All Over the State Advising Him to Stand Firm and Not Give in an Inch—If the Governor Rejects the Treaty There Will Certainly Be Bloodshed—The Remains of Goebel Lying in State at Frankfort.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 7.—[Special Telegram]—There is nothing today to indicate that Gov. Taylor intends to sign the agreement reached at Louisville on Monday night between the republican and democratic leaders.

Taylor announced this morning that no action will be taken in the matter until a late hour today. He would not say anything to indicate that it was certain he would decide upon something even then.

Do Not Want an Agreement

President pro tem of the senate Jolly sent the following to Gov. Taylor this morning from London: "We do not want any agreement with the other side. We are in the right and have nothing to agree on. The republican members of both houses are unanimously against any agreement."

Remains Lie in State

The train conveying Goebel's remains arrived at noon and were taken to the Capitol Hotel, where they will lie in state until tomorrow. The troops were removed from the vicinity of the hotel. There is a great crowd surging about the hotel.

Not less than twenty-five detectives are here today trying to find some tangible clue to Goebel's murderer. Some of the detectives say it is only a matter of a week before an arrest will be made and that it will be of a sensational character.

Gov. Taylor had a conference with Judge Yost and Gen. Lindsay this morning. Prior to this Taylor conferred with the minor state officials. It is the opinion of the republican leaders that Taylor will sign the agreement.

At one o'clock Taylor said he had not made up his mind with regard to the agreement. He said he had received a thousand telegrams begging him not to sign.

## GOVERNOR TAYLOR IS OBSCURE

If He Rejects Louisville Treaty There Will Be Bloodshed

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 7.—It is up to Taylor. If ever a man had a question on his mind calculated to keep him awake all night the pseudo governor of Kentucky has. Upon his decision whether or not he will accept the agreement made for him by his attorneys with the democratic leaders, depends the settlement of the whole tangle into which the government of Kentucky has fallen—depends perhaps hundreds of lives—for it is generally conceded that this is Taylor's last chance.

Will Not Give It Sanction

His friends insist that he will not give his sanction to the proposals which assure the seating of the claimant democratic government. Strong partisans are condemning the course the republican conferees have taken, and calls are coming from the mountain counties urging the acting governor to continue his stand, backed by the military, against biased election tribunals and partisan courts and a legislative majority which is determined to depose the state officials declared elected by the election returns.

Stood by Him in His Fight

That the executive will refuse to put his signature to the plans which will place the contestants in office is emphatically asserted by members of the republican section of the general assembly who have stood by him in his fight. Governor Taylor is quoted as having promised that if these legislators would follow his proclamation and meet at London he would allow day to day adjournment to continue until the sixty-day life of the assembly, as limited by law, should expire. This time will end March 13.

Republicans Stand Firm

Republican partisans insist there must be no retreat. Said one man who was seated in the anteroom to the executive office this afternoon:

"They ought to hang every republican leader in this state if they go over to democratic proposals. I'll help hang them, too."

Objection is raised chiefly because of

the clause in the agreement allowing the assembly to ratify any voting resolutions in joint meeting. This is regarded as most important, because in the senate the democratic and republican control is a close question on a fair count of votes. In joint assembly the contesting party has a big margin. Democratic managers here today assert that Gov. Taylor must accede.

Say Taylor Must Quit

"I have no doubt as to the outcome," said Senator Blackburn. "Taylor must sign. If he does not—well, then the courts must depose him by force."

"If the peace protocol is rejected," said former Judge Pryor, "there will be no other alternative but to have deputies enforce the rulings of the court. I hope, however, that a peaceful settlement will result."

## GOV. TAYLOR NOT TO BE OUSTED

Details of a Scheme Said to Include Blackburn for Senator.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 7.—One of the Democratic leaders who have engineered the deal by which the gubernatorial quarrel is to be settled said this morning that Governor Taylor is not to be ousted.

He explained the details of the agreement made last night by saying that by the terms of the deal Governor Taylor will retain his seat and in return for the withdrawal of Democratic opposition to his title as governor he has obliged himself to see that Senator Blackburn is returned to the United States senate with a clear title.

This story, it true, will explain the remarkable celerity with which an agreement was reached by the conferees and it will also explain what heretofore has been almost inexplicable—namely: why the Republicans agreed to an arrangement by the terms of which they secured apparently nothing.

It is explained that Taylor and Blackburn hold the whip over each other and neither is likely to yield without a quid pro quo.

Legislature Meets at London.

London, Ky., Feb. 7.—In accordance with the proclamation of Gov. Taylor that the Kentucky legislature should convene in this town at noon Tuesday, thirty-six representatives and thirteen senators assembled in Laurel county seminary at the hour named and organized for business. The regular officers of the two bodies of the general assembly being absent, the senate elected Senator R. M. Jolly of Irvington president pro tem, and the house chose B. T. Bethune of Mt. Vernon its speaker pro tem. Both officers were sworn in by Judge Brown. The only other business transacted was the passage in the house of resolutions of respect to the memory of Mr. Goebel.

## LIBRARY TRAINING SUMMER SCHOOL

Sixth Annual Session To Be Held At Madison Next Summer—Course Provided.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 7.—The Wisconsin Free Library commission is sending out the announcement of the sixth annual session of the summer school for library training which is to be held at Madison next summer as a department of the summer session of the University of Wisconsin. The courses provided for students in this school are intended for the librarians of the small libraries which are springing up in such number in Wisconsin. The school has proved so very effective in giving a practical training that there are applications for admission from all parts of the country. Last summer there were thirty-six students in attendance and they came from twelve states. No students are admitted who have not had practical experience in library work. Circulars describing the work of the school will be sent to all who are interested upon application to the Wisconsin Free Library Commission at Madison.

## EXCURSION RATES FOR THE BIG FAIR

C. & N. W. and C. M. & St. P. Companies Agree on a Fare and a Third Arrangement

Eben E. MacLeod, chairman of the Western passenger association, writes the Midwinter fair committee that the C. & N. W. and the C. M. & St. P. companies have agreed to give excursion rates for the fair, as follows:

Open rates of a fare and one-third for the round trip from which the local one-way rate to Janesville is \$3 or less; excursion tickets are to be sold Feb. 19-21 inclusive, good to return and including Feb. 23, 1900. Tickets to be good for going passage commencing date of sale, and for continuous passage in each direction.

## BARD IS ELECTED SENATOR

Ballotted For Him in Both Houses of the California Legislature

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 7.—Thomas R. Bard (republican) was yesterday afternoon elected United States senator to succeed Stephen M. White. In the senate the vote was: Thomas R. Bard, 26; James D. Phelan, democrat, 10. In the assembly the vote stood, Bard, 59; Phelan, 20; White, 1. Thomas R. Bard was declared elected in both houses.

## Taft ACCEPTS HIS NEW COMMISSION

GOES TO BUILD UP A REPUBLIC IN THE PHILIPPINES.

Ohio Jurist Resigns His Post on the Federal Bench—Is Young and Able—President, Though He Desires Congress' Help, Decides Not to Waste Time.

Washington, Feb. 7.—William Howard Taft of Cincinnati is the man selected by President McKinley for the most important tasks ever undertaken by an American citizen. Mr. Taft is to go to the Philippine Islands as head of the commission which is to prepare and plant and enforce a civil government there—a civil government along American principles adopted to Filipino needs, a government American in sovereignty and initiative but destined to give progress, prosperity, education and local self-government to the people of the archipelago.

Mr. Taft's resignation from the bench was accepted today and his successor appointed—Judge Henry S. Severens of Michigan.

Taft An Ideal Man.

The man who accepts the great responsibility of going out to our Pacific possessions to build up a republic there out of chaotic conditions and rather unpromising materials is only forty-two years old. He is solid, strong, able, an ideal man for the place.

It was a common remark at the senate today that President McKinley is playing a strong hand of late, an unexpected strong hand upon the eve of a presidential election. Without waiting for the action of congress upon the question of Cuba he selected the best man he could find and sent him down to that island as governor general, charged to bring order out of chaos and prosperity out of poverty in so far as he might be able.

Now he drafts another brilliant young American and sends him to the Philippines on a similar though more difficult errand, and again without waiting for action of the slow going congress.

Congress Talks McKinley Acts

Congress is still talking and is likely to be for a long time to come. In striking contrast with the purposefulness of the executive is the halting and timidity of the legislative branch of the government. The president has caused it to be known that he wants congress to act, and has even indicated what would be satisfactory to him.

He would like a declaration that the American government intends to keep the Philippine Islands. If congress is not willing to go that far at this time he would be content with an enactment specifically placing the control of the islands, the establishment of a government there, in his hands. He has this power already, and he is exercising it, but it is only natural and fair that congress should divide the responsibility with him.

In the end if the speechmakers can ever be silenced, it is believed this can be done by means of passing the Spooner bill, which has also been introduced in the house by the republican leader of that body, Mr. Payne.

But the president will go ahead in the discharge of his duty whether he gets the cooperation of congress or not, and the best evidence of that is found in the selection of Mr. Taft for head of the commission that is to prepare and introduce civil government.

## FOUR CAPTURED BY A POSSEE

Suspected Safe Blowers in Jail At Prairie du Chien, Wis.

Prairie du Chien, Wis., Feb. 7.—Four men giving their names as John Johnson, H. Tiffin, S. Sarrell and W. Howe, were arrested and surprised by a posse surrounding them in a school house near Steuben and lodged in jail yesterday on the charge of safe blowing. They were heavily armed. Four revolvers, a complete set of skeleton keys, two sets of drills and a pop bottle filled with nitroglycerin were found in their possession. They are suspected of having blown open a safe and robbing a store at Gay's mills Sunday night. Two of them are tall and the other two are short. One was heavily tattooed on his arm. There are about thirty-five years of age and one about fifty.

A traveling man here thinks he saw the latter at the Waupun prison.

## QUIT DAWSON FOR CAPE NOME

Thousands of Persons Take Quickest Means to Reach Gold Field

Washington, D. C., Feb. 7.—The Cape Nome excitement continues unabated, according to a report to the state department dated Dec. 8, from Donald Morrison, vice consul at Dawson. He writes that many persons are making preparations to get to Cape Nome from Skagway via Dawson over the ice, a journey of 2,600 miles. He says that all who are contemplating it make the trip this winter there will be one continuous line of gold seekers from Bennett to St. Michael. The transportation companies have already arranged to handle 3,000 passengers.

The weather at Dawson was comparatively mild—from 15 above zero to 18 below. This mildness has interfered with mining by flooding the drifts, and the gold output will fall short of the estimate of \$25,000,000.

## NATIVES ARE IN A FIGHTING MOOD

FILIPINOS MAKE AN ATTACK ON THE AMERICANS.

The War Department Receives Report From Wheaton—Tells of the Battle of San Jacinto and Death of Major Logan—Capture of Relatives of Aguinaldo.

Manila, Feb. 7.—Ships arriving from Legaspi report that the insurgent General Pana concentrated a large force about the top of the town and made a sharp attack on Major Shipton's battalion of the Forty-seventh infantry, which occupied a large convent as a fort. One battalion and a battery have sailed as reinforcements for Shipton. The casualties are unknown.

A corporal and four men, while patrolling the railroad near Mabacalat, recently disappeared and are supposed to have been captured. A searching party looking for them was ambushed and a corporal killed.

Report From Gen. Wheaton

Washington, Feb. 7.—The war department has made public the report of General Lloyd Wheaton upon his operations from San Fabian southward last November. The report is made up of an account of a succession of combats with the insurgents, ranging from a small skirmish to a battle, wherein the insurgents had 2,000 men engaged. The expedition was composed of 2,000 men and was supported by the navy in landing near San Fabian. Gen. Wheaton says that the cooperation of the navy was most gratifying.

"The conduct of Major Logan was most gallant and greatly worthy of his name."

The report records without comment the capture by Cronin's battalion of the Thirty-third infantry of Buenavista, one of the principal Philippine leaders; an adjutant, a secretary of Aguinaldo, the child son of Aguinaldo, Aguinaldo's mother and \$1,998 in gold and \$1,191 in silver.

Enemy Thoroughly Dispersed.

Summing up his campaign, General Wheaton says:

"All of the instructions of General Otis were successfully carried out. The enemy was defeated in every combat and his routed forces were prevented from retreating to the mountains in the north to carry on a guerilla warfare."

In conclusion, General Wheaton particularly mentions the Thirty-third infantry volunteers for gallant and efficient service.

## VEST INTRODUCES AN AMENDMENT

New Provision to Be Incorporated in the Administration Currency Bill.

Washington, Feb. 7.—[Special Telegram]—Senator Vest of Missouri, introduced in the senate today an amendment to the financial bill authorizing the secretary of the treasury to issue two hundred million in notes, the same to have, printed on their face, "Treasury Bond Notes" and be legal tender for all public and private obligations.

The republican leaders have prepared a program which provides that the Nicaragua canal bill is to be taken up in the house and passed before Feb. 15.

## GUESTS HAVE A NARROW ESCAPE

Revere House, One of the Leading Oshkosh Hotels, Burns; Loss About \$25,000.

Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 7.—[Special Telegram]—The Revere House, one of the leading hotels in this city, was completely gutted by fire this morning, and forty-five guests barely escaped from the burning building with their lives. None of the guests saved their belongings, and the servants saved but little. The loss is about \$25,000.

## EXPLOSION OF A SAWMILL BOILER

Dreadful Accident at West Superior in Which an Engineer Was Killed.

West Superior, Wis., Feb. 7.—[Special Telegram]—The O. N. Campbell sawmill near Iron River was shattered by an explosion of a boiler this morning and Engineer Charles Tuttle was instantly killed. The other workmen were injured and the mill machinery was badly damaged.

Factory for Benton Harbor.

Benton Harbor, Mich., Feb. 7.—At a meeting of the citizens held here last night a \$9,500 cash bonus was raised for the John V. Farwell & Co.'s overalls factory, which will be a branch of the Chicago plant and employ 1,000 hands.

## BIG STRIKE ON IN CHICAGO

It Is Estimated That 1940 Men Have Already Quit Work.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 7.—Nearly one-half of the members of the affiliated unions of the Building Trades council, who were employed up to Monday, are now on strike and this proportion will be increased within the next few days. The strength of the contractors who are enforcing the new rules probably will be shown on Saturday when the laboring men may be compelled to work the entire day instead of until noon, as has been the custom. A conservative estimate of the number of men who walked out today puts the number at 1,455, divided among bricklayers and stone-masons, building laborers, stonecutters, carpenters, gasfitters, steamfitters and structural ironworkers.

The foregoing are in addition to the 1,485 who quit work on Monday, making in all 2,940 men who have quit work.

## CUBANS DISLIKE AMERICANS

Major W. R. Graham Speaks of Possible Insurrection on Island.

New York, Feb. 7.—"While there is a placid surface on affairs in Cuba," said Major W. R. Graham of the paymaster's department of the army, who returned from Havana on the Ward line steamship Mexico, today, "there is a seething undercurrent and I would not be surprised at an insurrection any day. The Cubans want the Americans out of Cuba." More than this Major Graham would not say.

## MILWAUKEE FEELS SURE

That \$100,000 Needed For the Democratic Convention Is In Sight.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 7.—The democratic committee which is soliciting subscriptions to secure the national convention reports today that it has over \$80,000 of the \$100,000 necessary.

Mayor Rose was enthusiastic in his praise of the way in which Milwaukee citizens were responding to his requests for subscriptions, and feels confident that the full amount would be guaranteed without difficulty. He said that the total amount subscribed to date was \$80,450, with \$8,000 or \$10,000 more promised, which had been actually subscribed, but which was good. A message from Washington stated that Committeeman Pasco of Florida had pledged his support to Milwaukee for the convention city.

The Joint Traffic association has granted a one-fare rate from Chicago to Washington and return for the democratic convention party of Milwaukee. This means a rate of \$20.05 from Milwaukee. Chairman Bruce will have charge of the party.

The party will leave by the Milwaukee road Sunday afternoon, February 18, leaving Chicago the same day over the Pennsylvania lines for Washington, arriving there the following afternoon. The party will reach 100 in number. Prominent republicans, as well as democrats have signified their intention of joining the party and aiding in booming Milwaukee's interests.

## ARRANGE DUAL GAMES

Wisconsin and Chicago Athletes to Compete at Madison May 26—Return Series Next Year.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—Graduate Manager Fisher of Chicago, yesterday signed a two years' agreement for dual track athletic meets. The first contest between the Badgers and the Maroons will take place at Madison May 26, while the games of next year will be held in Chicago. This contract is in response to the growing interest in track athletics among the colleges and the desire to have more frequent competitions. Heretofore the track men have complained that after a long period of training they often competed only once or twice. At the present time the interest in the track men among the student body is as great or even greater than in the baseball teams.

The Wisconsin meet is only one of a series which Stagg hopes to schedule for this season. He wants to meet both Michigan and Illinois on Marshall field, entering into a two-year agreement. It is possible two meets may be held with the Illinois this season, one here and one at Champaign.

## FEAR BIG LOSSES BY STORM

Wind and Snow Cause Damage in Montana—Stock May Be Killed

Great Falls, Mont., Feb. 7.—The worst wind and snow storm ever known in this locality came yesterday afternoon. Much damage was done to the lighter class of buildings and to telephone and electric light wires. No fatalities are yet reported, but it is feared that the loss of stock on the ranges will be large.

## LAI TO REST WITH MILITARY HONORS

Remains of Major John A. Logan Carried to the Grave at Youngtown, O.

Youngtown, O., Feb. 7.—[Special Telegram]—The remains of Maj. Logan were laid to rest today with full military honors.

## DEFEAT FOR GEN. BULLER

Crossed the Tugela River, and Is Driven Back in Disorder.

## BOERS' GREAT VICTORY

General Roberts and Entire Staff Left Cape Town for the Front Today.

Irish Party in English Parliament Issue an Address Asking for Recognition of the Boer Republic—Declare the War Immoral and Unjust, and State That Irishmen Will Ever Pray for Boer Success—House of Commons Endorses the Cabinet's War Policy—Again Bombarding Ladysmith.

Boer Head Lager, Nat., Feb. 7.—[Special Cablegram]—Gen. Buller's army numbering twenty-five thousand crossed the Tugela on Monday and was met by the Boers under Gen. Burgers. Terrific fighting followed. Buller was finally defeated and retreated south of the Tugela in great disorder.

London, Feb. 7.—[Special Cablegram]—The war office posted a notice this afternoon saying that Buller crossed the Tugela Monday. His operations are still in progress. The war office was not informed of the result.

Cape Town, Feb. 7.—[Special Cablegram]—A Pretoria dispatch dated yesterday says that Buller crossed the Tugela Monday at two places under cover of heavy fire. The dispatch adds that the British north of Potgieter's Drift have been driven back.

Storkstrom, Feb. 7.—[Special Cablegram]—The Boers today made a simultaneous attack against the British outposts. The fighting is proceeding with the greatest vigor. Gen. Joubert is said to be in command of the attacking force.

Roberts Off For the Front

Cape Town, Feb. 7.—[Special Cablegram]—Gen. Roberts and his entire staff left for the front today.

Irish Pray For Boer Success

London, Feb. 7.—[Special Cablegram]—In the house of commons today Redmond Healy, elected chairman of the Irish Nationalists, made a motion in behalf of the United Irish party for an amendment to the parliamentary address declaring that the time had arrived for closing the war and recognizing the independence of the South African republics. Irishmen, he said, abhorred this "immoral, unjust war which was a disgrace and whatever should be its results the Irish people prayed ever for Boer success."

## INVASION OF THE REPUBLICS

It Is Believed That Roberts Has Mapped Out a New Plan.

London, Feb. 7.—[Special Cablegram]—It is now believed that Gen. Buller is not moving, though the continued silence as to the campaign in Natal indicates that plans of an important character are developing. In certain well informed quarters these plans are beginning to be regarded as having closer relations with the general plan of campaign for the invasion of two republics, than has hitherto been fought. A dispatch from Cape Town saying that Roberts had started for the front is taken to indicate that he will take charge of the forces which have been in course of organization for some time, in upper Cape Colony and that the time for a forward movement is nearly ripe.

A dispatch from Storkstrom received today says that the British at Storkstrom moved west Saturday. In view of this reported movement military men think with respect to the attack by the Boers at Storkstrom reported today that the British may be attacking instead of attacked.

A Central News dispatch from Cape Town quotes a refugee as saying that Leyds has informed the Boers he is sure of European intervention when the British begin the invasion of the territory of the republics.

LADYSMITH AGAIN UNDER FIRE

Boers Gathering Around the Town in Great Strength

London, Feb. 7, 3 a. m.—According to Boer advices reaching London from Pretoria via Lourenzo Marquez, Ladysmith is again suffering a heavy bombardment, but no details are given beyond the fact

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## HARDWARE DEALERS HOLD ANNUAL MEET

### JANESVILLE REPRESENTED AT THE SESSION.

A. H. Sheldon is Vice President of the Association—H. L. McNamara Also in Attendance—"Doing a Cash Business" Will Form One of the Papers.

Ex members of Company A. have received notice from Adjutant General C. R. Boardman that they may soon expect an extra month's pay from the government for services rendered during the Spanish-American war. Sixty-five members in Janesville have coming sums ranging between thirteen and fifteen dollars as the result of this extra month's pay.

The following circular has been sent local members by Adjutant General Boardman:

Madison, Feb. 6.—Sir—Sign the two forms, No. 5, leaving dates and amounts to be filled out by the paymaster.

Then forward to your captain or other commissioned officer commanding the company that he may sign the certificate certifying the genuineness of your signature and request him to transmit to the Adjutant General at Madison in the envelope enclosed for that purpose.

Your discharge should also be sent with the vouchers, it will be returned to you from Washington with your pay check.

C. R. BOARDMAN,  
Adjutant General.

### A FREE TELEPHONE SERVICE

From Monroe to Janesville for a Few Days This Week.

An unusually large number of telephone calls have been arriving in Janesville this week from Monroe. The cause of all this is free service from Monroe to Janesville over the lines of the Rock County Telephone company. But this free service is for a few days only, and is done merely to show the public that the line is in excellent working order.

### Many a Lover

Has turned with disgust from an otherwise lovely girl with an offensive breath. Karl's Clover Root Tea purifies the breath by its action on the bowels, etc., as nothing else will. Sold for years on absolute guarantee. Price 25 cents and 50 cents. Sold by J. P. Baker.

### GRACE BLADON IS PRESIDENT

Wide Awake Circle of Kings' Daughters Change Their Name.

The Wide Awake circle of Kings' Daughters of the Congregational church has changed its name to the Covenant Club of Kings' Daughters. At a meeting held yesterday the following officers were elected: President Grace Bladon; vice president Florence Palmer; secretary Irmagard Kellar; treasurer Alice Estes.

### What is Suffering?

A grand old remedy for Cough, Colds and Consumption; used through the world for half a century, has cured innumerable cases of incipient consumption and relieved many in advanced stages. If you are not satisfied with the results we will refund your money. Price 25 cents, 50 cents, and \$1. Sold by J. P. Baker.

### Tour of Puerto Rico.

The American Tourist Association announces two tours of the beautiful island of Puerto Rico under escort of Mr. Walter Boyd Townsend, the well known artist and traveler, through and around the island by rail, carriage, automobile and boat.

Special Pullman Cars leave Chicago Thursday, February 15, and Thursday, March 8, at 12 noon, connecting with the splendid new steamships Ponce and San Juan, sailing from New York second day following.

Tickets include all expenses everywhere. All railway, steamer and sleeping car fares, meals and berths on steamers, meals on dining car, hotel bills in New York and Puerto Rico, all transfers, carriage rides in the cities and through the island, guides and interpreters are included in the tickets. There are no extras.

Tours are under the direction of Reau Campbell, General Manager, A. T. A., 1423 Marquette Building, Chicago. Itineraries, maps and tickets can be had on application to the agents of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R'y.

### Home-seekers' Excursions

On Feb. 6 and 16 the C. & N. W. R. will sell home-seekers' excursion tickets at one fare plus two dollars for the round trip. For full particulars enquire of agent at C. & N. W. R'y, passenger depot Telephone No. 35.

## A Vigorous Shampoo

once every week with  
**Seven Sutherland Sisters'**

Scalp Cleaner, when immediately followed with a thorough application of the Hair Grower, will make the hair soft, silky and luxuriant. Unlucky hair means unhealthy hair. These preparations strengthen as well as cleanse and purify. They make and keep the hair beautiful. For men, women and children.  
Sold by all druggists.

## THEY SHARE IN THE EARNINGS

Baker Manufacturing Co. of Evansville Adopt New Scheme

Evansville, Wis., Feb. 7.—One year ago the Baker Manufacturing company of this city surprised its employees by making them a present of 10 per cent. of what their previous earnings for 1898 had been, and stated that during the year 1899 the factory would be operated on the profit sharing plan, the employees receiving a percentage of the net profits.

Last Saturday the percentage amounting to \$14,197.78, was distributed among the employees, the sum being over 60 per cent. of the wages earned during the year 1899.

### NORTH JOHNSTOWN.

North Johnstown, Feb. 6.—There are seven new cases of mumps in the Cary neighborhood including the teacher, who is obliged to close the school for awhile on account of it. William Cunningham's family will move this week from the Gray estate, to a farm they have purchased near Indiana Ford. We hope the moving fever will not prove to be contagious. Grandma Tooker is on the sick list this week. The next meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held with Mrs. A. Longfield Thursday afternoon of next week. Old Mrs. Cary, now over ninety-four years of age is just recovering from a severe attack of indigestion.

Dr. Ray Rice of Delevan and Delbert Rice of Harmony, were at the home of their father, T. B. Rice Sunday. The L. A. society will hold a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Watson Aldrich Friday evening next. All are invited. Grace Cary is able to be about a little since her recent sickness.

We hail with delight the latest had just coming into vogue, that of taking the tobacco cure. Those who have taken it as administered by Dr. F. A. Rice of Delevan are loud in its praise. Perhaps the time may yet come when we shall not be obliged to read with disgust of a smoker being given for the benefit of a literary society. Charles Fox and daughter Clara, now of Milton Junction were callers at O. N. Bovins Sunday. Rock county is to be congratulated upon securing the services of so efficient and competent a superintendent of the county asylum as Mr. K. Killam, although we regret exceedingly the loss of the family from our community. We are glad to learn that Katie Dennis is improving and hopes are entertained of her recovery.

### LIMA.

Lima, Feb. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Holbrook have a little girl visiting them. Miss Ada Brandt of Milton Junction, spent Sunday at Wm. Boyd's. Mrs. Charles Packard of Milwaukee, is making her sister, Mrs. Nugent, at two weeks' visit. It seems very evident that Nate Boyd is satisfied with Lima for a home, as he has recently purchased the Ryan property. Mrs. Packard came over from Richmond Monday, to visit her daughter in law. The literary society was at a discount Saturday evening, on account of a dance Friday night. In last week's paper a statement was made that Mr. K. Killam of Milton, had been chosen to fill the vacancy at the Rock county poor farm. If our memory serves us right, Mr. Killam has been a resident of Lima for the past five years, he having during that time lived on his farm, which is in the southwestern part of this town. For the last three years he has served as one of the directors in the town insurance company. Godfrey & McComb are having their ice house filled this week. Last week they put in a supply of coal. They are determined to be in readiness for all sorts of weather.

### A CARD

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

J. P. Baker, Geo. E. King & Co.,  
J. H. Helmreich, E. O. Smith & Co.,  
People's Drug Co., H. E. Raunous & Co.,  
Janesville, Wis.

### JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce Are Reported for The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market. Corrected by P. H. Bump.

WHEAT—Fair to best grades, 50¢ to 60¢; BUCKWHEAT—\$1.25 to \$1.50 per 100 lbs.; RYE—Good demand at 35¢ to 40¢; BARLEY—33¢ to 40¢ outside for select, old; EAR CORN—\$7.00 to \$7.50 per ton; OATS—Common to best, white, 20¢ to 21¢; BEANS—\$1.00 to \$1.25 per bushel; CLOVER SEED—\$1.00 to \$1.25 per 100 lbs.; TIMOTHY SEED—\$2.00 to \$2.25 per 100 lbs.; BUTTER—22¢ to 23¢; EGGS—15¢ to 16¢ per dozen; HAY—Timothy, \$10.00 to \$12.00; other kinds, \$8.00 to \$10.00; STRAW—\$4.50 to \$5.00 per ton; POTATOES—\$3.00 to \$3.50 per bushel; PEAS—Chickens, dressed, 7¢ to 8¢; TURKEYS—9¢ to 10¢; WOOL—Washed, 25¢ to 27¢; unwashed, 15¢ to 21¢; HIDES—Green, 6¢ to 8¢; dry, 8¢ to 10¢; PRICES—Quotable at 25¢ to 26¢; CATTLE—\$5.00 to \$5.50 per cwt.; HOGS—1.00 to 1.10 per cwt.

### 6,000 years have we waited for the greatest blessing ever offered. It doubles your joys and halves your sorrows. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents. Smith's Pharmacy Kodak Agents.

Girls, if you wish to be a June bride with red lips, laughing eyes, a lovely complexion, take Rocky Mountain Tea this month. 35 cents. Smith's Pharmacy, Kodak Agents.

## BOARDMAN SENDS CIRCULARS HERE

### EX-MEMBERS OF COMPANY A TO RECEIVE CASH.

Will Arrive in Janesville Soon—Much Money Will Be Distributed in the Bower City by the Government—Discharge of Soldiers Also Included.

A. H. Sheldon and H. L. McNamara of this city are in Milwaukee attending the fourth annual meeting of the Wisconsin Retail Hardware Dealers' association. Mr. Sheldon is vice president of the society and for a number of years has been one of the leading members. The session commenced this morning and will come to an end tomorrow night.

Arrangements have been made for the entertainment of about 150 visitors. One of the chief subjects to be discussed is in connection with the encroachments made by department stores on the retail hardware trade. The program includes papers on "Doing a Cash Business," and on "What Has and What Ought the Association to do and Why?" Committees will be appointed to confer with Iowa and Illinois concerning the advisability of a union with the Northwestern Hardware association.

### EDGERTON TOBACCO MARKET

Not Much Buying Being Done in the Growing District.

Edgerton, Wis., Feb. 7.—The tobacco business is passing rather quiet lines again. Some buying is being done in the country districts, but the methods are easy going and do not figure very large in the aggregate. Buyers are busy receiving their former purchases and do not appear to be particularly anxious to increase their holdings just at present. The current issue of the Wisconsin Tobacco Reporter quotes the names of growers selling 300 cases at prices ranging from 6 to 7 cents for wrapper and binder grades in the bundle.

Packers are getting quite well sold down of old leaf and are carrying smaller stocks today than for several years past. The country, too, is being thoroughly hunted for remnants of old goods left in first hands. S. N. Warner, a Chicago manufacturer, is in the market again for old stock. C. L. Cuttin reports recent sales of 800 cases of 1898 leaf. F. H. Pease & Son sold seventy-two cases to a Chicago dealer, and a Philadelphia firm picked up 300 cases in the market. Old leaf from first hands brings from 9 to 10 cents.

The shipments out of storage have been large again during the week, reaching nearly sixty carloads, 2,850 cases, including fifteen cars of bundle leaf. There has been received from outside points for handling in this market thirty-two cars of bundle leaf during the week.

When doctors fail try Burdock Blood Bitters. Cures dyspepsia, constipation, invigorates the whole system.

Takes the burn out; heals the wound; cures the pain. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, the household remedy.

The little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take; perfectly harmless; positive cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma.

Scratch, scratch, scratch; unable to attend to business during the day or sleep during the night. Itching piles—horrible plague. Doan's Ointment cures. Never fails. At any drug store, 50 cents.

### SHE WILL VISIT EUROPE

Miss Elizabeth Wilcox Will Make the Trip With Western Friends

Miss Elizabeth Wilcox of this city expects to sail for Europe in March. She will accompany friends in Salt Lake City and will make a tour covering several weeks duration.

Miss Fannie Woodard of Clinton, a young lady who has frequently visited in Janesville, will visit Europe this summer setting sail the latter part of this month.

### Excursion Rates to the Mardi Gras and Winter Resorts

Via the North Western Line. On account of the Mardi Gras at New Orleans and Mobile, excursion tickets will be sold February 19 to 25, inclusive, at very low rates, limited for return passage until March 15. Excursion tickets are also on sale daily at reduced rates, to the principal winter resorts in the United States and Mexico. For full information apply to ticket agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

There is no better medicine for the babies than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Its pleasant taste and prompt and effectual cures make it a favorite with mothers and small children. It quickly cures their coughs and colds, preventing pneumonia or other serious consequences. It also cures croup and has been used in tens of thousands of cases without a single failure so far as we have been able to learn. It not only cures croup, but when given as soon as the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. In cases of whooping cough it liquefies the tough mucus, making it easier to expectorate, and lessens the severity and frequency of the paroxysms of coughing, thus depriving that disease of all dangerous consequences. For sale by Smith's Pharmacy, next to postoffice, kodak agents.

Beer Horses Well Trained. The Beer horses are remarkably well-trained animals, and when the Transvaalers desire to form an ambush or firing line, their horses are taught to remain stationary as soon as they feel the reins dropped over their necks.

## MAY SUCCEED MISS ANTHONY

Mrs. Blake Would Be President of the Woman's Suffrage Association.

New York, Feb. 7.—Mrs. Lillie Devereux Blake has announced her candidacy for the presidency of the National Woman's Suffrage association, whose national convention will meet tomorrow at Washington. Mrs. Blake's name has not heretofore been brought forth prominently for the presidency because she has not been making a canvass for the nomination.

### COL. R. W. THOMPSON IS ILL

Indiana Statesman and Former Secretary of the Navy Dying.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 7.—Colonel Richard W. Thompson, the veteran Indiana statesman, is critically ill. He is now in his ninety-second year, and up to a short time ago was in good health. Colonel Thompson was secretary of the navy under the Hayes administration, and since the birth of the republican party in 1856, has been prominent in Indiana politics.

### You Try It

If Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure, which is sold for the small price of 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1, does not cure take the bottle back and we will refund your money. Sold for over fifty years on this guarantee. Price 25 cents and 50 cents. Sold by J. P. Baker.

### Excursion Rates to Midwinter Mardi Gras and Carnival, Milwaukee

Via the Northwestern Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates February 9 and 10, limited for return until February 12, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

### An Editor's Life Saved By Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

During the early part of October, 1896, I contracted a bad cold which settled on my lungs and was neglected until I feared that consumption had appeared in an incipient state. I was constantly coughing and trying to expel something which I could not. I became alarmed and after giving the local doctor a trial bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the result was immediate improvement, and after I had used three bottles my lungs were restored to their healthy state. B. S. Edwards, Publisher of The Review, Wyand, Ill. For sale by Smith's Pharmacy, next to postoffice, kodak agents.

### Only Tour of All Mexico

In Pullman's finest compartment, drawing room, library, observation and dining cars—all vestibuled—with the celebrated open top car "Chililiti." Longest tour ever offered—longer in Mexico, longer in City of Mexico, longer in tropics. Only tour to ruined cities. Special trains start January 23 and March 6. Tickets include all expenses everywhere. Under escort of the American Tourist Association, 1423 Marquette building, Chicago. Reau Campbell, general manager. For maps, books of the tour, tickets, etc., call on Agents of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway.

### To Cure La Grippe in 24 Hours.

No remedy equals Warner's White Wine of Tar Syrup for this terrible and fatal disease. If taken thoroughly and in time, it will cure a case in 24 hours, and for the cough that follows La Grippe it never fails to give relief. Price, 25c and 50c. People's Drug Co.

### Half Rates to National Creamery Butter Makers' Convention, Lincoln, Neb.

Via the Northwestern line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for the round trip, from all stations, February 17 and 18, limited for return until February 25, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

### Hood's Pills

Are prepared from Nature's mild laxatives, and while gentle are reliable and efficient. They

### Rouse the Liver

Cure Sick Headache, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, and Constipation. Sold everywhere, 25c. per box.

### Crockery News.

We have just received a nice line of Crockery and are selling it at prices as follows:

100-piece Dinner Sets from \$6.00 up  
Fardiners from 12c to \$1.75 each  
Fancy decorated Cuspidors, 10 and 15c  
Plain White Wash Bowls and Pitchers, good size, from 75c to \$1.00  
We also have open stock of decorated sets which we will separate.

We have a nice line of Fancy Dishes on our 10 and 25c counters.

You are welcome to call and look them over.

E. HALL, 55 West Milwaukee street.

### CATARRH

is a LOCAL DISEASE and is the result of colds and sudden climatic changes. For your Protection we positively state that this remedy does not contain mercury or any other injurious drug.

Ely's Cream Balm

is acknowledged to be the most thorough cure for Nasal Catarrh, Cold in Head and Hay Fever of all remedies. It opens and cleanses the nasal passages, relieves pain and inflammation, heals and protects the membrane, restores the sense of taste and smell. 50c. at Druggists or by mail; samples 10c. by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 61 Warren Street, New York.

## BUOB'S BEER

Is extra stock—no inferior ingredients. It is the purest.

## BUOB'S ALE...

Is something fine. Nothing compares with their old Ale of 5 or 6 years of age.

Either furnished for family use in 2-dozen pint cases and delivered to your residence.

### SOUTH SIDE BREWERY.

Telephone 141. Janesville.

### Epilepsy...

Or falling sickness is caused from external injuries done to the brain by concussions, blows or bruises, extreme nervous affections, great mental excesses, dyspepsia, constipation, etc. The patient is often attacked without warning and falls, uttering a scream, frothing at the mouth, and other symptoms. This is a most serious disease.

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Quiets the nerves and equalizes the circulation of the blood.

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that satisfy. You can't have good food without good materials. Our groceries will insure the excellence of your meals.

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### Excursions

Every Tuesday to the choice Farming Land I have for sale in Wood County, Wis. One fare for the round trip, and if you purchase land your entire railroad fare will be paid. These are good lands and will make good homes for people with little means. The soil is heavy clay sub-soil with clay loam surface soil. Excellent supply of good water.

Price \$8.50 and \$10 per acre, on easy terms. Will exchange land for merchandise. Apply to

### W. J. CANNON,

Always in the market to 25 W. Milwaukee St.

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Silk and wool cashmere dresses dyed-cleansed without removing any trimmings. Kid gloves cleaned or dyed. Gents' clothing cleaned, colored or pressed like new. Chemise or lace curtains cleaned or colored any shade. Bed feathers renovated on short notice.

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### Carpets.

Judging from the way people are buying this early, spring trade promises to be very large. An impetus to early purchasing is the

### Large Line of New Carpets.

that we are showing. We were forced to place big orders for CARPETS last fall, before prices advanced, or we would not sell them at PRESENT FIGURES.

### Ingrains! Body Brussels,

Velvets, Moquettes

100 pieces of new patterns—the latest spring designs

### Rugs—Over 1000 of them

here—all sizes and shapes. Large room Rugs a specialty.

### ORIENTAL RUGS—A large

collection all carefully selected—No need of going outside of town for them. Janesville prices are lowest; qualities all right.

### A Butcher That Knows

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never takes advantage of the inexperience of new housekeepers by giving them poor cuts or light weight. We treat all our patrons honorably and in the same courteous manner, and cut them the best of the kind that they ask for—and when we do that you couldn't find better for love or money.

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A more favorable time to buy a new JACKET never was. Think of the saving. Women's stylish, well made JACKETS, the best of linings, all sizes, black and colors; your choice NOW for just ONE - HALF of the PRICES they WERE marked for.

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(1/2 FORMER PRICES) on good JACKETS for women is the force that is making them move.

### Capes at \$5.00.

As an earnest of what we are doing in the way of giving BARGAINS we have selected a lot of Capes worth to \$10.00 and put them all in at one price, \$5.00.

### MATERIAL—Wool and Astrachan.

LENGTHS—30 and 33 inches.

TRIMMINGS—Bear and black Thibet.

LININGS—Extra strong and firm.

SIZES—Mostly all large.

### Fur Capes. Have a few good ones as follows:

Monkey, collar of electric seal.

Size 40, length 27, sweep 110, \$38, now \$30.

Wool Seal, all with marten collars: Size 38, length 24, sweep \$120; \$23, now \$18.

Wool Seal: Size 40, length 27, sweep 110; \$38, now \$30.

Wool Seal: Size 38, length 30, sweep 115; \$40, now \$30.

Wool Seal: Size 40, length 30, sweep 115; \$40 now \$30.

Wool Seal: Size 40, length 30, sweep 115; \$50, now \$35.

Electric Seal, marten collar: Size 40, length 33, sweep 125; \$45, now \$33.

## .. LATE NEWS BY TELEGRAPH..

## BOER SENTIMENT IS STRONG.

Bill Presented in Congress Demanding They Be Recognized.

## MANY INFLUENCES AT WORK.

Senator Depew Advocates Mrs. Dan Manning as Against Mrs. Potter Palmer as Representative of American Women at Paris and Precipitates a Storm.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Representative William Alden Smith of Michigan, one of the members of the committee for foreign affairs, wants the United States to recognize the complete independence of the South African Republic and the Orange Free State from Great Britain by accrediting a minister to those two countries. While the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was under consideration in the committee on foreign relations Mr. Smith endeavored to secure the incorporation of a paragraph making an appropriation for a minister resident to those two countries, but the committee held that it was not in order, as the place had not been created by any existing law. The same point of order prevented the consideration of an amendment to the bill in the house, and now Mr. Smith has introduced a separate bill, which he hopes to have enacted into law.

In discussing the subject in the house Mr. Smith said the meetings held all over the country evidenced the popular sympathy with the Boers. But much as his sympathy went out to the Boers, he wished only for England's glory and power, because he believed the glory of England would redound to the benefit of Anglo-Saxon civilization everywhere.

Senator Depew had passed a bill which, if agreed to by the house, will result in the election of seventeen commissioners to the Paris exposition, one of whom shall be a woman, and also a representative at the unveiling of the Lafayette monument. It is now proposed to defeat its passage in the house. Senator Depew is working to secure the appointment of Mrs. Daniel Manning. If the emergency bill is passed with the house provision, Mrs. Potter Palmer and Mrs. Manning will both be appointed.

Representative Rodenburg of East St. Louis has offered a bill amending the laws relative to the shipment of cattle, sheep and hogs. It proposes to extend the time transportation companies and others responsible are permitted to keep cattle, sheep and swine confined during shipment from twenty-eight hours to thirty-three hours in the summer months and forty hours during the rest of the year. The object is to permit railroads to bring cattle through from the ranches to East St. Louis without unloading.

## TALK ABOUT THE FILIPINOS.

Senators and Representatives Principally Occupied by Island Questions.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Mr. Caffery of Louisiana resumed the speech which he began Monday, on the subject of the Philippine islands, at Tuesday's session of the senate. The resolution declaring certain amendments to the constitution of North Carolina in contravention to the fourteenth and fifteenth amendments to the constitution of the United States was taken up, and Mr. Butler (pop., N. C.) addressed the senate in support of it. At the close of Mr. Butler's speech it was arranged by unanimous consent that the financial bill be taken up on each day after the routine morning business. Mr. Aldrich gave notice of an amendment providing that nothing in the bill shall interfere with the efforts to secure bimetallism with the concurrence of leading nations of the world.

Mr. Foraker (rep., Ohio) gave notice that as soon as the financial bill was disposed of he would ask the senate to consider the bill to provide a government for Puerto Rico.

Mr. Shoup (rep., Idaho) desired a reservation for the disposition of the Quay case. The presiding officer said that under the unanimous consent nothing could be taken up until the financial bill was disposed of, and after an executive session the senate adjourned.

The session of the house was almost wholly devoted to discussion of the question of expansion, the members being in committee of the whole upon the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill. Mr. Wilson of Tennessee considered the subject historically, asserting it to have been the policy of the English-speaking peoples of America from the first.

Mr. Williams of Mississippi and Mr. Morris of Minnesota discussed the constitutional phases. Other speakers were Messrs. William Alden Smith and H. C. Smith of Michigan and Mr. Neville of Nebraska. This concluded the general debate on the bill, and it was considered today by paragraphs for amendment.

## MAY AMEND CANAL TREATY.

Belief That It Follows Suez Convention Too Closely.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The text of the convention with Great Britain abrogating the Clayton-Bulwer treaty has been made public. The new treaty is still before the committee on foreign relations, and it may be amended before it is ratified, as there is some criticism because it follows too closely the rules governing the Suez canal, which, it is claimed, should not be accepted as a precedent for the Nicaraguan canal in all particulars. A member of the foreign relations committee, who is in favor of the general principle of the convention and who believes it will be ratified by the senate, said this afternoon:

"If the United States is to be responsible for the protection and the neutrality of the canal it will not do to interpose by treaty obstacles in our way. We should not be inhibited from erecting any kind of fortifications at the entrances to the canal. We should have entire freedom to enforce neutrality by any means which might seem appropriate to us."

## LAWTON'S CASKET IN STATE.

Thousands View the Coffin in the Capitol at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 7.—The body of Major General Lawton was escorted from the Union station to the capitol at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning by military and civic organizations. The streets along the line of march were crowded. Artillery boomed when the parade moved. It is believed 10,000 persons were massed about the state capitol when the body was borne into the rotunda of the building. All day people filed through the state house, past the coffin, which lay on a bank of palms in the center of the great building, surrounded by a guard of honor. By 5 o'clock more than 40,000 people had viewed the casket, and there was no decrease in the size of the crowd waiting to get in. The face of the dead general was not shown. The body was taken from the state house to the special train at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday night, where a military guard was placed over it. The train left at 8 o'clock this morning for Washington.

## CALLS NO WITNESSES.

Defense in the Mollinex Trial Rests on the State's Case.

New York, Feb. 7.—Without calling a witness, the defense in the trial of Roland B. Mollinex for the murder of Mrs. Katherine J. Adams by poison rested Tuesday. For thirty-five days and more of actual session the prosecution had piled up testimony, largely that of handwriting experts. All this the defense brushed aside as not worth confutation, electing to go to the jury on the contention that the prosecution had failed to connect Mollinex with the death of Mrs. Adams. Moreover, in summing up, Bartow S. Weeks, counsel for Mollinex, directed the attention of the jury so strongly to the acts of Harry S. Cornish in connection with the poison package that his words stopped little short of an absolute charge that Cornish purposely administered the poison to Mrs. Adams from a bottle which he had himself prepared.

## INDICTMENTS MAY BE FAULTY.

Motion to Quash Three Against the Michigan Military Officers.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 7.—In the Circuit court motions were entered Tuesday to quash the indictments filed by the grand jury against Representative D. J. Hammond of Oakland for soliciting a bribe, and against Arthur F. Marsh and Col. Eli R. Sutton for embezzlement and fraud in connection with the sale of military supplies. In each case it is contended that the indictment is invalid. The motions will be argued next Tuesday, and an early decision is looked for.

## The Pinkham Remedies

For disorders of the feminine organs have gained their great renown and enormous sale because of the permanent good they have done and are doing for the women of this country.

If all ailing or suffering women could be made to understand how absolutely true are the statements about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, their sufferings would end.

Mrs. Pinkham counsels women free of charge. Her address is Lynn, Mass. The advice she gives is practical and honest. You can write freely to her; she is a woman.

## METHUEN MAKES A MOVE.

Has Evidently Undertaken to Flank the Boers at Modder River.

## WAR OFFICE HEARS NOTHING.

Continues to Issue Its Stereotyped Formula to All Inquirers—Bombardment of Ladysmith Still in Progress—Garrison Is Well.

London, Feb. 7.—The long continued inactivity of Gen. Methuen's division at Modder river has at length been broken, a movement apparently aiming to flank the Boers having been begun.

The Standard's correspondent, telegraphing from Koppies dam, under date of Feb. 5, reports Gen. Hector Macdonald, with the Highland brigade, the Sixty-second battery and the Ninth lancers, arrived at Koodoosberg on Feb. 4. The last few miles of the march was over the most trying ground, and the troops suffered considerably from the heat and the lack of water. The force bivouacked at Koodoosberg drift and had their first brush with the enemy at dawn Feb. 5.

## Boers Are Driven Back.

The lancers ascended Koodoosberg kopje and found a Boer patrol climbing up the other side. Shots were exchanged, but the Boers, who were taken by surprise, fled. A cavalry patrol afterward found the Boers in possession of the ridges to the northwest, which they evacuated after a few shots on the approach of the main body of cavalry. The infantry was not engaged.

Koppies dam commands the road from Kimberley to Hopetown and Douglas. Two Boer laagers are at Kameelhook and Griquatown, within striking distance. A strong force of the enemy is actively concentrating to oppose Gen. Macdonald, whose arrival in the neighborhood has prevented the two commandos from joining.

Nothing more has been heard of the "overwhelming force" that was going to Norval's Pont, and though the Boers in the Colesberg district are again declared to be virtually surrounded they do not appear to mind it. It is said that Gen. French went to Cape Town to urge Gen. Lord Roberts to give him 7,000 more troops to enable him to complete his work, and another report says that 3,000 men who disembarked at Cape Town were rushed immediately to the front, though what front is not explained.

## Norval's Pont the Object.

There is undoubtedly plenty of activity on both sides, aiming respectively at restraining and capturing Norval's Pont, but Lord Roberts' dispatch of Monday stating that the situation was unchanged seems to tell the total result of the movements.

The war office today repeats its formula that it has nothing to communicate, and such news as comes from other sources is comparatively unimportant. Gen. Buller's continued silence is practically the only basis for the persistent belief that he is advancing.

## Sharp Skirmish at Ladysmith.

A telegram from Lourenco Marques, dated Tuesday, gives the latest news from Ladysmith, where, according to Boer reports, a heavy cannonade began early on Monday and continued when the dispatch, which gives no details, was sent. From the same source comes a report of a skirmish on Saturday with a party of British, who were protecting some coolie grass cutters. The party lost three killed, and some cavalry, who were sent to aid them, also lost three men.

Runners who left Ladysmith on Saturday have reached Estcourt with dispatches recording that ammunition and food in the beleaguered town are abundant. There are immense supplies of canned meat, and fresh meat is also abundant. The camps of the Boers on the plain between Ladysmith and Tabanyana hill were reported to be in a state of commotion as though the enemy were expecting an attack.

## War Party Wins.

London, Feb. 7.—The debate on the vote of censure in the house of commons ended in a great victory for the government at midnight. Before the division the Irish members got up in a body and left the house. Some of the well-known liberals also walked out. When the figures were announced and it was found that the amendment was rejected by 352 votes to 139 there was a wild shout of triumph from the government benches.

## Boers Have Doctors Enough.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 7.—Vice-Consul John Steketee has received a letter from the Netherlands Red Cross for the effect that additional physicians for service in the Transvaal are not needed, as fifty-six are already in the field. Mr. Steketee has received many applications for appointment to this service and forwarded them as required.

## Petition Sent to McKim.

Brussels, Feb. 7.—The petition asking President McKinley to intervene to bring about a peaceful settlement of the South African trouble has been forwarded to Washington. It was circulated in the principal cities and towns, and received 110,000 signatures.

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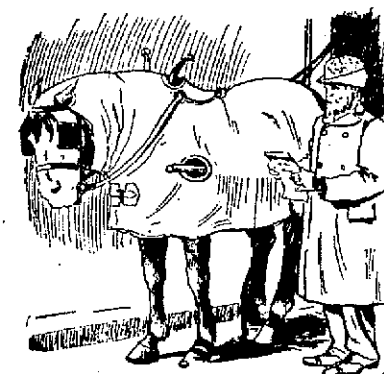
We have in stock about fifty high grade Ladies' Jackets, of the celebrated "Beifeld" make, ranging in price from \$12 to \$20. To close out the line and do it quick we have decided to make a uniform price of \$5.00. This will give you an opportunity to buy a late style Jacket of the best materials, beautifully lined with silk or satin, at less than the actual cost of the material.

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We are still offering an immense line of Fur Collarettes and Scarfs at prime wholesale prices.

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Wisconsin Weather Forecast  
Severe cold wave tonight and Thursday.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1800—Millard Fillmore, thirteenth president, born in Summerville, N. Y.; died 1874.  
1807—Battle of Blenheim, bloody, but indecisive; Bonaparte against the Russians and Prussians.

1814—Charles Dickens, novelist, born; died 1870.

1870—Admiral Sir John B. Gordon, U. S. N., distinguished in all the wars from 1812 to 1870, died in Brooklyn; born at Middletown, Orange county, N. Y., 1790. Commodore Stringham entered the navy as midshipman in 1810, fighting in the frigate President in 1812-13. In 1814 he was commissioned lieutenant and was engaged in the Algerine war, on the schooner Spark. His vessel, the Ohio, took part in the bombardment of Vera Cruz in 1817. His service in the civil war was with Burnside at Roanoke, where he commanded the naval force with great skill.

1892—Hotel Royal burned in New York; 70 people perished.

1899—William Laird, one of the famous shipbuilders, died; responsible for the Alabama, died at Birmingham.

CONDEMNNS THE DEAD BEAT.

The Fond du Lac Reporter discusses the "doctor's dead beat list" as follows:

The members of the Rock County Medical society are contemplating the adoption of a "dead beat" list which will give the names of all persons who are indebted to any of its members for services rendered. The list will include only those who are abundantly able to pay but do not. If the new rule becomes a part of the by-laws of the association, all delinquents will be obliged to pay in advance before the physician called will attend the patient. It is a notorious fact that the doctors next to the newspapers, lose a large percentage of their just dues; not so much because the delinquents are unable to pay but because they think the printer and the doctor can better live on promises than any other class of business men in the world. The general public and the poor man, can, if necessity demands, dispense with the daily and weekly paper but in sickness a physician's attentions are absolutely necessary, and pay or no pay the sick one must be administered to. Any rule or law which will make the "professional dead beat" pay his honest debts would be welcomed by the general public.

Bank Examiner Kidd's annual report shows that the banks of Wisconsin are in a prosperous condition. A great increase in business is shown, the deposits being greater by \$26,000,000 than they were last year.

Oom Paul will doubtless be much elated when he learns that he has the sympathy of The Chicago Bathhouse, and The Chicago Hinkey Dink. All that is necessary now is to get The Hon. Tom Sharkey to move to make it unanimous.

A Kentucky farmer accidentally dropped his revolver. The fall discharged the weapon, and the farmer was killed. Can't something be done to cause an epidemic of this sort of thing?

The Minnesota barbers' license law has been declared valid by the supreme court. The case has been in court two years and the law only escaped destruction by a close shave.

The Chicago common council has adopted resolutions extending sympathy to the Boers. England, however, has not yet decided to surrender because of this fact.

The South now raises 54 per cent more wheat than was raised ten years ago, while the hog production has about doubled. The South is making rapid strides.

The Inter-Ocean Times-Herald libel prosecution also demonstrates the fact that it is easier to sue than it is to recover damages.

Senators Hoar, Mason and Pettigrew should take a course of study under the direction of Congressman Sibley.

The "dance in the dark" does not seem to meet with popular favor outside of the dancing hall.

Cuba, Porto Rico and Hawaii will make exhibits, under the American flag, at the Paris exposition.

They are having quite a run of sleighing down Kentucky way these days.

Town is likely to adopt an anti-pass law.

Tell your friends about the midwinter fair.

A Forest for Tea Chests.

A large Glasgow (Scotland) tea chest company has purchased 10,000 acres of forest land in North Carolina, with 75,000,000 feet of stumpage, to use the lumber for veneering of tea chests. A factory to prepare it will be built at Wilmington.

## BULLER IS DEFEATED

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that the shelling began on Monday, but the report is accepted in London as authentic. Recent messages from the beleaguered town indicated that the Boers are gathering around it in great strength, the belief being general that another assault is contemplated. Each dispatch added that the spirit of the British troops is good and Gen. White is prepared.

The first attack on Ladysmith was on January 6, just a month ago, and Buller according to his boast, should now be within the gates of Ladysmith, but there is no real evidence beyond a few vague reports from distant points that Buller has even stirred from Spearman's Camp. That he is nowhere near Ladysmith is practically certain, so the valiant General White may again be forced to repel the attack single handed. The bombardment of Ladysmith is supposed to be merely a preliminary to a general assault, and if the Boers succeed in battering down White's earthworks with the big guns the chances of a capture of the town will be greatly increased.

General White is undoubtedly prepared to put up the best resistance possible under the circumstances, but with his stores and ammunition depleted, his army badly crippled by disease and losses in previous assaults, and confronted by a victorious Boer force outnumbering his men three to one, the prospects of another successful repulse are far from bright.

## BRITISH WAR POLICY ENDORSED

English Cabinet is Supported by House of Commons.

London, Feb. 7.—The house of commons last evening rejected Lord Edmund Fitzmaurice's amendment to the address in reply to the speech from the throne by a vote of 352 against the amendment to 189 in its favor. This apparent great majority of 213 votes, however, does not mean as much as would be supposed, as none of the Irish members took part in the balloting, although all can be counted as opponents to the ministerial policy.

The Irish members refused to take either side, because both the reply to the speech and the amendment declared for prosecution of the war, a policy which they would not endorse. It is claimed that several liberals who stood by the government did so only in response to the repeated appeals of the ministerial advocates that party be set aside until the war is brought to a successful close.

The debate was at times fiery and it continued well into the evening. Mr. Balfour made a strong defense of Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, while Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman and others insisted that the government should be censured.

## AMERICAN OFFICER WOUNDED.

Capt. E. D. Smith of Nineteenth Infantry Seriously Hurt in Cebu.

Stamford, Conn., Feb. 7.—A dispatch has been received here saying that Capt. Edmund D. Smith of the Nineteenth Infantry was wounded dangerously Monday in the island of Cebu, Philippines.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The secretary of war has cabled to Gen. Otis, inquiring about a report that the insurgents had attacked an American garrison in Cebu and seriously wounded several officers, among them Capt. Edmund D. Smith of the Nineteenth Infantry.

The war department announced today that the total number of troops in the Philippines Feb. 1, as reported by Gen. Otis, is as follows: 63,532, including officers and men. There are 946 regular officers, 1,334 volunteer officers, 30,826 enlisted men, and 30,429 volunteer troops.

## SHELL-DODGING.

Fine Art Practiced by the Soldiers Now in South Africa.

Frequent mention is made in the dispatches of war correspondents of "shell-dodging," and the average reader is at first at a loss to understand the precise meaning of the words, until their constant repetition leads one to believe that probably it is possible to see shells in their aerial flight, and consequently the soldiers are able to dodge them. A sergeant major of artillery, who has seen some active service all over the world, gives us some information about the true art. In all his long experience he said he had only seen three or four shells actually in the air, and they came from the gun he himself fired. He explained that there are few guns with a somewhat slow muzzle velocity, and the men firing these can sometimes catch a glimpse of the shells in their flight; but it would be impossible for any man to see a shot coming toward himself. Dodging shells is done by getting under cover immediately before a gun is actually fired. "For instance," said the sergeant major, "if I were climbing a hill, at the top of which a gun was directed against me, I could tell exactly when a shell was likely to come bounding along. Before the order is given to fire the men in charge of the piece 'stand clear,' and that is the warning note, so to speak. Keep your weather eye on the gun directed against you, and when the gunners stand clear you dodge the shot."

## Artificial Sponges.

Artificial sponges are now made in Germany from a mixture of pure cellulose with zinc chloride and sodium chloride. These sponges will absorb water in the same way as the genuine article, and when allowed to dry they become just as firm in substance.

## BIG ESTATES ARE DIVIDED

Wills Disposing of a Vast Amount of Property Probated at Oshkosh.

Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 7.—Two wills aggregating \$1,250,000 were filed today. The will of the late Hiram Smith of Neenah, who left an estate valued at \$1,000,000, after dividing about \$50,000 among various relatives and friends, names his widow and two daughters, Mrs. Bessie Porter of Minneapolis and Hattie Smith of Neenah, as residuary legatees. One of the largest legacies was \$10,000 to the Neenah Presbyterian church.

John Buckstaff of this city by will has divided an estate of \$300,000 among his three grandsons, George A. Buckstaff and D. C. Buckstaff of this city and John Allen Buckstaff and Aaron Buckstaff of Lincoln, Neb. A daughter, Mrs. William Rogge of this city, gets \$5,000 and the income from \$15,000.

## CLUB MEMBERS FAVOR BOERS

Members of the Twentieth Century Club Held Interesting Debate.

At the law office of Hendricks & Earle last evening members of the Twentieth Century club met in session and debated on the British-Boer war situation as it now exists in South Africa. A lively discussion ensued. The final decision was that England was not justified in carrying on the war.

## AN ANTARCTIC OASIS.

A Queer Discovery Made During the Recent Expedition.

Recent antarctic discoveries by the Belgian expedition, as described in the Century for January by Mr. Frederick A. Cook of Brooklyn, whose article is very fully illustrated. "An oasis in a snowy wilderness" is the phrase he employs in characterizing a certain bit of the antarctic land. Being still unwilling to advance into the unknown region before us while enshrouded in mist, we drew near a prominent mountain peak to make a debarkment. The cliff was a perpendicular cliff, free of snow to the seashore. It was one of a number extending far into the south-east, as we learned on the following day. We made a debarkment at its base. Here was life in profusion, as indeed there was on every rock where life could gain a footing. The noise from the birds, which re-echoed from cliff to cliff, was deafening. The lower rocks were lined with snoring and grunting sea-leopards. Columns of vapor rose above the water, followed by a hiss like that of a steam engine, and a second later the blue back of a whale, with its long fin and ponderous tail, lashed the water into a foamy whirlpool. The great wall of land-ice rose to each side of the black cliff, which gave us a shelf as a landing place. From this wall came frequent sounds like the explosion of a cannon, which were followed by a splash and a commotion in the water. With such reports parts of the wall would constantly break away and fall into a million pieces, strewing the water with small fragments of ice, but not with icebergs. Above us rose a cliff to an altitude of about 2,000 feet; out from this were projecting mantel-like rocks, which served as resting places for the cormorants and sea-gulls. Here the young ones, dressed in gray down, coaxed their mothers for food. We expected to see the little things drop from their narrow resting places, to be destroyed on our heads or on the rocks below, but such an accident rarely happened. Our greatest surprise here was the discovery of large quantities of moss and lichens, which gave the spot an unexpected appearance of vegetable life and color. After seeing nothing but ice and black rocks for so many days, this sight of green and brown and red amid an endless expanse of icy desert was a great relief. It was an oasis in a snowy wilderness.

## Funeral Reform in England.

Dickens would have been pleased with the title of the "Church of England Burial, Funeral and Mourning Reform association," which at its twentieth annual meeting has issued the following manifesto: "No darkened house, no durable coffin, no special mourning attire, no bricked grave, no unnecessary show, no avoidable expense, and no unusual eating or drinking."

## Advance in Pin Manufacture.

One hundred years ago it was considered a wonderful achievement for ten men to manufacture 48,000 pins in a day. Now three men can make 7,500,000 in the same time.

## WANT COLUMN

Three Lines, Three Times for 25 cents.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. 500 positions at \$20 monthly waiting out graduates. New field, can earn within two months complete. All information with handsome 1000 souvenir mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

FOR SALE—Number one draft team, 5 and 6 years old, weight 3,000 pounds. Telephone 389. Geo. M. Decker.

WANTED—Two or three nicely furnished rooms with board by married couple. Best of references. Central location. Address A. M. Gazette.

WE give trading stamps to cash purchasers. Riverview Park Grocery.

COME to two Riverview Park Grocery where you receive the full value of a dollar in groceries. Ask for trading stamps. Telephone number 418.

WANTED—Oak or walnut roll or certain top desk. Address "Desk," Gazette office.

WANTED—Gent's second hand bicycle. Must be clean, good name of wheel and price. Address W. Gazette.

FOR SALE—A good family horse; also buggy outfit and harness. All nearly new. Carl Miller, 2 Hickory street.

WANTED—Competent girl for general house work. Inquire 10 East St. North.

FURNISHED flats for rent. 201 Park Place.

WANTED—Employment by young man in store or office, before or after school hours, some experience, best references. Address J. E. J. 132 S. Franklin St.

## Just Plain Talk....

Is the most convincing argument that a person can use. You know it must be plain, or else you throw it aside. We know you are interested most when we tell you plain and forcible that we are giving the best actual value that money can produce.

## JUST NOTICE ABOUT THOSE

\$2 50 Box Calf and Russia Calf Shoes. You perhaps have been paying \$3.50 for your Shoes. Just stop in today or tomorrow and compare them. They are, you'll admit, extra good value, welt sewed and heavy extension soles, \$2 50 while they last.

## SOMETHING ABOUT "QUEEN QUALITY"

Heard it enough? Well, read it again. They're right, that's sure. Every day some one is saying "Queen Quality" praise, and why not—they're worth it. Tan and black, or chocolate; every style; one price, \$3.00

That boy needs a new pair of Shoes. Let us fit him in a pair of our Boys' "Hard Hitters," 1, 1.25, 1.50 and \$2

(Every pair warranted)

BABY SHOES, too—nice ones.

## AMOS REHBERG &amp; CO.

REPAIRING.

SHINES.

## THE WIDE AWAKE.

We are giving special attention just now to our stock of . . .

## NOTIONS . . .

Our stock in this line was never more complete. It is here you find just what you want—the LITTLE THINGS that are so all needful when you want them, and our PRICES ARE RIGHT. Look over this list and see if you do not find some articles you are in need of.

60 feet Cotton Clothes Line	10c	Safety Pins, any size, card	5c
100 feet Wire Clothes Line	25c	2 papers good Pins	5c
Best Rubber Combs	10c	Lead Pencils	1c up
8-inch Kid Corsets, bunch	10c	Ink and Pencil Erasers	5c
Best grade Hose, Supporters	10c	Curting Irons, all sizes	5c
Fine Hair Brush	10c	Tea Strainers	5c
Good Clothes Brush	10c	Picture Wire, p'g	5c
Nickel back Combs, large	10c	Can Openers	5c
Fine Polishing Brush	10c	Wardrobe Hooks, 6 for	5c
Bottle fine Tooth Powder	10c	Gift head Upholstery Nails, package	5c
Bottle fine Tooth Wash	10c	Stove Polish	5c
Bottle LePage's Liquid Glue	10c	Vegetable Brushes, 2 for	5c
Big line Tooth Brushes, fine goods, each	10c	Wire Soap Dish	5c
Brass tipped, 2 ft. Rule	10c	Cake Spoons	5c
Large assortment fancy Hairpins	10c	Rice Root Scrub Brush	5c
Fancy Side Combs	10c	Best Envelopes, per p'g	5c
Fancy Side Combs, per pair	10c	Tooth Picks, per p'g	5c
Shawl Strap	10c	Cake Turners	5c
School Slates	10c	Tack Hammer	5c
Fine Ink Tablets, 5 and	10c	Good Paring Knife	5c
Box fine Writing Paper and Envelopes	10c		

These are but a few of the many useful articles to be found on our Notion counters. Come in and look them over.

THE WIDE AWAKE—53 West Milwaukee Street.

OUR . . .

## Winter Clearing Sale

Will continue during the month of February. We can surely fit your feet, as well as your pocket book. Come early before best sizes are gone.

Men's \$5 00 Enamel Shoes,	\$3 50
now	
Men's Box Calf, calf lined;	3 50
\$3.00 and	
Men's Lone Calf and Coltskins,	2 50
now	
Men's Satin Calf,	1 50
now	
Ladies' heavy sole Box Calf,	2 50
\$2.00 and	
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A full line of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Leggings and many other bargains which you can see by calling or taking a look in our window.

### C. C. BENNETT SHOE CO.

Foot Fitting Shoe Men. On the Bridge.

## The Raw Material

In Suitings this year is higher but my prices will be the same as heretofore.

## The Fit Will Be Perfect,

The trimmings the best and workmanship unexcelled.

## HERMAN ZANDER

With Janesville Clothing Co. North window

## DENTISTRY.

Until further notice, full upper or under set of Teeth for \$7.00—Gum Sections or Plain Teeth, fully equal in every respect to any I ever made. Extracting and filling at moderate charges.

## DR. S. H. GISH

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—State of Wisconsin—County Court for Rock County—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court to be held in and for said county, at the Court House, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of September, A. D. 1900, being September 4th, 1900, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted:

All claims against James B. Hume, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased. All such claims must be presented for allowance to said Court at the Court House, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 7th day of August, A. D. 1900, or be barred.

Dated Feb. 7th, 1900.

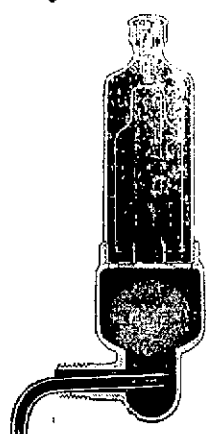
By the Court,  
J. W. SALE,  
County Judge.

## Twentieth Century Air Valve

A valuable article for steam heated houses. It is guaranteed to exhaust the steam vapor from the boiler fast as it generates and allows its circulation freely in to the radiators. These air valves are so constructed (as you will notice by the cut) that the slightest degree of heat will automatically open the valve and expel the cold air. When the fire is low the valve closes and prevents back suction of cold air into the pipes. The valve can be seen in operation, costs but \$1.50, and will save its cost in one season.

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## BOSTON STORE.

## Fish..

We have just received a full line of all kinds of Fresh, Salt and Smoked Fish and shall keep a full supply all through Lent. Read this price list:

Choice Rockaway Mackerel,	very fine, per lb	13c
No. 1 Family White Fish, per lb		10c
Extra Split Labrador Herring, per lb		8c
Imported Norway Herring, choice, per lb		10c
Imported Holland Herring, per lb		9c
Golden Smoked Bloaters, per lb		10c
Choice Smoked Herring, per box		25c
Extra Family Codfish, 2-lb. brick, lb.		10c
Who's Codfish, very fancy, per lb		5c
Swedish Fish Balls in cans		15c
Very fancy Salmon, per can		15c
Whole Salmon, per lb		15c
Good Family Salmon, per can		10c
Domestic Sardines, in cans		4c
Domestic Sardines, in mustard, per can		9c

## J. B. SMITH.

South River Street.

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## California

### Wines and fine Champagnes

That are a little ahead of any in the city can be found here. You can't afford to indulge in impure liquors. The best is the cheapest in the long run and the best is none too good for our customers. We make a specialty of the

### Finest Bottled Goods.

For medicinal and family purposes they excel all others.

We have the famous Old Underwood and Sauerwood Whiskies.

### L. L. LEFFINGWELL.

Old phone, 345. New phone, 545. 55 E. Mil. St.

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## Children's Eyes.

School means constant application and eye strain. A little precaution now, if the eyes are weak, may save the child from wearing glasses all its life.

Call on Dr. Hayes, the eye specialist, who is in attendance at our optical parlor every Saturday and Monday.

## F. C. COOK &amp; CO.

Opposite Post Office, Janesville.

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Those desiring nice pieces of Colonial Furniture, may leave their orders with us and we will find what is wanted. We are in a position to know where all kinds of this fashionable Furniture can be found.

The Expert Upholsterer  
Is still with us. Bring in your work promptly if you want him to do it.

Furniture Repairing  
Is one of the main features of our business these days.

Goods called for and delivered.

Telephone orders to new phone, 195.

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It is only a question of where to get it. We furnish THE BEST, give you prompt service and guarantee your satisfaction. Try our POWELL'S RUN, ROCKING

### COAL, Domestic Use..

J. W. CARPENTER.

Both phones, 70. Near the Depot.

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## Got an Old Carpet?

Do you know that it is valuable? Do you know that it can be made into a beautiful Rug for very little money? Drop me a postal and let me call on you to show you what the New York Carpet Weaving Works, of Chicago, for which I am the agent, can do for you.

## JOHN E. WINNEY.

103 Linn Street. Janesville, Wisconsin.

## Your Shoe

needs fixing to keep out the cold and wet. Let me do the work. I make it a point to please my customers because I want them to come again.

Rubber Heeling and Rubber Patching a Specialty.

O. P. BRUNSON.

## Trunks, Etc.

You can always find a nice line of Trunks, Leather Bags, Suit Cases, Telescopes, etc., at

## SELKIRK'S.

6 N. Main St. Near Gazette.



## PFENNIG TROUBLE AIRED IN COURT

### RELEASE OF MORTGAGE THE CAUSE OF ACTION.

**Town of Center Farmer Alleged That He Paid Max Pfennig Money That He Should Have Paid Mrs. Hoffmeister—Case Promises to Prove of Special Interest.**

As the result of alleged defaulting methods employed by Max Pfennig, the first case to find its way into the courts of Rock county was called this morning in Justice M. P. Richardson's court. The action is that of Fritz Gundlack vs. Mrs. Ernestine Hoffmeister. The sum of \$1,300 is involved.

The plaintiff is a well known farmer residing in the town of Center. The defendant resides in this city at the corner of Park and South Second streets. Mr. Gundlack alleges that he gave a mortgage to Mrs. Hoffmeister for \$1,300 on his farm and that the transaction was made through Max Pfennig who the plaintiff alleges was Mrs. Hoffmeister's authorized agent.

Gundlack now alleges that he has paid up the mortgage in different sums and that he wants the mortgage released. Mrs. Hoffmeister refuses to release the mortgage alleging that she never received any portion of the money from Mr. Pfennig and that Mr. Pfennig was at no time acting as her agent.

Mr. Gundlack alleges that Pfennig was Mrs. Hoffmeister's agent and that he has receipts from Mr. Pfennig showing that he has paid the amount of the mortgages. Witnesses were sworn this morning and the action promises to be a most interesting one. Fetters, Jeffris & Mount appear for the plaintiff with Sutherland & Nolar represent the interests of the defendants.

## RICHARD VALENTINE MADE PRESIDENT

**Loan, Savings and Building Association Reported to Be in Flourishing Shape.**

The thirteenth annual meeting of The Loan, Savings and Building association of Janesville, was held at the municipal court room Monday evening. The reports submitted showed the society to be in a most flourishing condition. The reports also show that of the forty-nine series of stock issued, 3,502 shares of stock were issued. Of this number 2,117 shares have been cancelled, leaving 1,385 shares in force.

Secretary Burnham's statement gives the receipts at \$30,618.55; disbursements the same; resources \$33,820.61, liabilities the same.

The following officers were elected: President, Richard Valentine; vice president, W. E. Clinton; treasurer, John G. B. Ford; attorney, John M. Whitehead; secretary, A. P. Burnham; directors for three years, Geo. S. Parker, James S. Fifield and Chas. D. Stevens; director for one year, to fill out the unexpired term of J. C. Brownell, deceased, I. H. Carpenter.

## NEARLY 600 'PHONES IN USE

**Rock County Company's New List Shows Great Growth in Short Time.**

The Gazette job office has just issued a list for the Rock County Telephone Company showing nearly 600 telephones in use. The company opened its exchange June 1, 1899, with 380 'phones and the growth since that date has been phenomenal. During the past month there has not been a day that they did not receive orders for new 'phones and although they have two gangs of men installing instruments, there are today 23 subscribers who are not yet connected.

## BASKET BALL TEAM PLAY

**Interesting Contest To Be Played at the High School**

This afternoon at the High school building is scheduled to commence the inter-class class contest for basket ball honors, at which time the boys' teams of the Sophomore and Freshman classes will meet. Following is the team lineup:

**Sophomore:** George Casey, Fred Hutchinson, Frank Hogan, Ralph Gonslock, Will Fox.  
**Freshman:** El. Palmer, Al. Smith, Verne Muldock, Harry Dorn.

## FEW SCARLET FEVER CASES

**City Health Officer Says That the Mumps Are Plentiful**

City Health Officer George W. Fifield reports that scarlet fever cases in Janesville are scarce these days. He says that about five cases are now to be found in the city. The number of cases of mumps and whooping cough are plentiful but as these cases are not considered contagious no quarantine is necessary.

**Mrs. Hoffman to Be Here**

Mrs. Clara C. Hoffman, recording secretary for the National W. C. T. U., and state president for Missouri, will deliver a lecture in the First Methodist church on the evening of Feb. 16. This will be a rare treat for the people of Janesville, as Mrs. Hoffman is considered one of the foremost orators of the age. On the afternoon of that day a conference and memorial meeting will be held in the same church, the old home of Francis Willard, to which everyone is invited. Mrs. Hoffman will be present and address the meeting. Any who wish to remain for the evening can bring lunch, as a picnic supper will be served.

You will find more fruit at the Grubb Produce Co.'s than you are used to seeing in half a dozen other stores.

## MENU FOR THURSDAY.

Better a hearty peasant than a sickly king.—Ferdinand III.

**BREAKFAST.**  
Grain Fruit.  
Broiled Ham. Poached Eggs on Toast.  
Buckwheat Cakes, Maple Syrup.  
Coffee.

**LUNCHEON.**  
Fried Oysters.  
Cabbage Salad. Fried Sweet Potatoes.  
Sponge Cake. Whipped Cream.

**DINNER.**  
Jenny Lind's Soup.  
Sardines. Celery. Fried Figs.  
Broiled Fresh Mushrooms.  
Roast Goose, Stuffed with Apples.  
Water Cress Salad.  
Baked Peach Dumpings, Cream.

**JENNY LIND'S SOUP.**—The recipe used by the famous singer, Jenny Lind, in making her favorite soup has just been discovered. She believed that it had much to do with the preservation of her voice. She soaked 45 grains of pure sage in cold water for several hours. She then put it on the fire to boil in fresh water and when it had reached the boiling point, poured cold water over the sage in a sieve. Then it was cooked for 20 minutes with one and a half spoonfuls of bouillon and carefully strained. A little salt, pepper, nutmeg, sugar and oil or parsley were added, and finally the soup was poured into a sauce and put into the soup through a strainer after it had been lifted from the fire and all thoroughly worked with a large spoon. Serve.

## BRIEF NOTES OF LOCAL NEWS

**LANE-HIER.**  
10 off at Lanhier.  
MANHATTAN tonight.

There's money in it—Dedrick's ad.  
A new lot of Holland cabbage just in. Dedrick Bros.

Second hand stoves bought and sold, for cash. Lanhier.

Pocahontas a sure cure for chills Janesville Coal Co.

A fresh line of celery in this morning. Dedrick Bros.

Call up phone 89 when you are cold. Janesville Coal Co.

Plenty of fine bananas in this morning. Dedrick Bros.

"A chip of the old block"—our No. 2 nut coal. Janesville Coal Co.

This is country sausage and kinnah baddie day at the Grubb Produce Co.

Cloaks for less than half price at our clearing sale of winter goods. T. P. Burns

Another lot of those small California oranges, nine cents a dozen. Dedrick Bros.

Nice cranberries 5 cents per quart at the Grubb Produce Co.'s store tomorrow.

The coupon on our ad today is worth 5 cents in cash if you want prunes. Dedrick Bros.

We want you to read our ads every day. They contain cash coupons. Dedrick Bros.

The Manhattan club dance tonight by the light of the lamp, tra-la-la! No "dark" dances.

The only Smith and his orchestra furnish music for the only Manhattan tonight. Are you there?

The Royal Neighbors committee will meet at the residence of Mrs. Loise, at 7:30 o'clock this evening.

Don't forget, it's tonight—the Manhattan club party. No long faces allowed. Fun reigns supreme.

You can have a two pound can of Dutch Java coffee tomorrow for 40 cents. Grubb Produce Co.

Our special sale always draws large crowds. Doing exactly as they advertise is the cause. T. P. Burns.

A SHAMROCK ham cut through the middle is a tempting sight. 12 cents per pound. Grubb Produce Co.

FOR SALE—Apply to John Thorough good, residence at 118 Madison street. First ward, known as Trinity rectory.

We have two cars of discolored No. 2 coal which we will sell at \$6.75 a ton until disposed of. F. A. Taylor & Co.

The members of Janesville Rebekah Degree star No. 171 are requested to be present at regular meeting Thursday evening.

LADIES' footholds toe rubbers, closing out at 15c. Why pay other dealers 45c? W. A. Nichols. Quatsoe's old stand.

Out out the coupon in Dedrick Bros. ad today and it will be worth 5 cents to you if you want the best prunes on the market.

WANTED—Immediately twenty-five girls. Those experienced in running power machines preferred. Isabel Mfg. Co.

Did you read Dedrick Bros. ad yesterday. If you did not you lost 20 cents. Read their ad today. It's worth 5 cents.

Four cords of heavy, white oak wood \$5.50 and \$6.00 per cord. Just the thing for chunk stoves. F. A. Taylor & Co.

HUNTING for something you can't find. Let the "eagle eye" of our "want" ad hunt for it too. They find lots of things every day.

Boys' heavy rubbers, to wear over shoes, all sizes, closing out at 45c. Regular price 65c. W. A. Nichols, Quatsoe's old stand.

This fine coffee to be served at All Souls supper this evening is the Revere brand Mocha and Java furnished by the Grubb Produce Co.

No stale goods, no back numbers. Regular stock is given for cash coupons found in our large ads. Read them every day. Dedrick Bros.

JAMES GARDNER has opened a horse shoeing establishment at 110 East Milwaukee street, where he will be glad to meet old customers and many new ones.

VEGETABLES at Dedrick Bros.—parsnips, onions, cabbage, Canadian rutabagas, carrots, Hubbard squash, fresh radishes, very nice fresh lettuce.

Got anything to sell? Let people know about it. Our "want" ads will tell 3000 people. Three lines three times for 25 cents.

## DEVOLL BROTHERS TO PLEAD GUILTY

### WITNESSES FROM JANESVILLE NOT SUMMONED.

**Men Charged with Stealing Clover Seed Will Not Make Fight—Defendants Will Waive Examination—Act Committed at Brooklyn—One of the Parties Brought Here.**

Devoll brothers, who helped themselves to the clover seed of grain dealers at Brooklyn, have concluded to waive examination and plead guilty when their case comes up for preliminary hearing before Justice Thomas Luchsinger at Monroe.

This intention has caused the state to notify the witnesses who had been summoned at Brooklyn, Edgerton and Janesville that their presence is not required. The defendant had pleaded guilty when they were arraigned and the state was ready with the witnesses for the hearing. The seed that was stolen was worth \$200, and the offense is therefore serious. One of the defendants was arrested at Edgerton.

**DEATH OF MRS. MIDDLETON**  
Will be Remembered Here as Miss Lillian Horton.  
Word has reached the city of the death of Mrs. Middleton whose demise took place in New York City after a short illness. Mrs. Middleton will be remembered here as Miss Lillian Horton. Besides a husband and three year old daughter she leaves a mother and brother who reside in Janesville. Many here will mourn Mrs. Middleton's untimely death.

## FIRE INSURANCE RATES TO ADVANCE

**Total Loss Sustained All Over the Country is Cause of That Increase.**

Insurance agents representing large companies, state that the rate of fire insurance will in a short time increase in the city in spite of all efforts made to keep the rate at a low minimum. The large losses by fire in the United States during the past month is given as one cause. When the policies expire of the different holders it is likely that an additional rate will be affixed.

The rate now in this city is high enough, and is a remarkable one considering the small loss by fire we have had here during the past two years, but that is not taken into consideration, the total loss sustained all over the country is doubtless the cause of the increase.

The Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin of the 6th says: "The fire loss of the United States and Canada for the month of January, as compiled from our daily records aggregates \$11,755,300. This is materially larger than the total for the same month in 1893 and 1899, as will be seen from the following comparison: 1898, \$9,472,500; 1899, \$10,718,000. While the January total shows a serious increase, the February losses are really astonishing. They averaged about a million dollars a day for the first four days of the month. The sentiment favors an advancing of the rates, as the fire companies generally lost heavily on their underwriting operations in 1899 and bid fair to suffer even more severely in the current year."

**NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE**

JOHN KEMMETT is able to be out after several days illness.

ORRIN MATTHEWS is home from a visit to Mineral Point.

A. N. GILSON, general agent for the C. & N. W. railroad, is confined to his home by sickness.

J. H. BROWDER and family, who have resided in this city for the past year, will soon move to Detroit, Mich., where they will reside in the future.

Mrs. SYLVIA W. GOULD of 105 North Williams street, fell on the icy walk in front of Dr. Bailey & Co's dry goods store and sprained her hip.

**A Thief's Cleverness.**

We do not remember to have seen for a long time a more curious case of a thief's cleverness than that which was recorded at Clerkenwell. Solomon Butler, who with a companion, was convicted of burglary in a jeweler's shop, managed to conceal two diamond rings in spite of the most thorough search by the police, and contrived to pass one of them away to his wife when he was in the cells, "putting it into her mouth by means of his tongue when kissing her." The other he kept under his tongue all the time he was under arrest, and it would probably never have been found at all if his companion had not exposed him in court, and so induced the judge to order a careful inspection of his mouth.

**Great Honor For German Crown Prince.**

It is a great honor which the queen of Spain is paying to the young crown prince of Germany by investing him with the collar of the Order of the Golden Fleece. The order is one of the oldest in Europe. It was founded in 1426 by Philip the Good, Duke of Burgundy, to commemorate his good fortune in "cleaning up" a large sum of money in a deal in wool. The uniform of the order is a cloak of scarlet, lined with ermine, and open at the throat to display the golden fleece and the motto of the order, which ornaments the collar. The order belongs of right to all the princes of Spain and Austria.

## WILL ENGAGE ROBERT FOULIS To Have Instructor.

Members of the Mississippi Golf club will have an expert instructor during the month of May or June in the person of Robert Foulis, a professional golf instructor from the celebrated Wheaton links. It was also decided to give an annual masquerade ball at the armory on the evening of Tuesday, February 27th, the evening before Ash Wednesday. A committee of arrangements was appointed consisting of Joseph P. Baker, George S. Parker, H. M. Parker, Al. Schaller, Charles L. Fifield and Joe A. Varkirk.

## INSANE PATIENTS INCREASING

**Oscar Car of Avon. Makes the Seventh One Received in One Day.**

When Officer Cochrane arrived at the state hospital for the insane at Mendota with Oscar Clark, he was informed that Mr. Clark was the seventh patient received that day. An unusually large number of insane persons were sent to Mendota during the month of January. A Madison liveryman informed Officer Cochrane that he drove to the hospital with thirty-three patients last year, all of whom were brought from Green county.

## MRS. GUSTA NEETZ DIED LAST EVENING

**She Resided in Rock County For the Past Seventeen Years and Was Well Known.**

Mrs. Gusta Neetz, aged seventy-eight years, died last night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frederick Topp, in the town of Center. Mrs. Neetz has been a resident of the county for the past seventeen years and was a woman well known and respected by a large circle of friends.

Four children are left to mourn her loss, they being Mrs. Fred Topp, Center; Mrs. August Schleifer, town of Janesville; Herman Neetz, Plymouth and Herman Neetz of Center.

Funeral services will be held Friday morning at 11 o'clock from the house and at 11:30 o'clock from the Lutheran church in the town of Center. Rev. Miller of Hanover, will officiate.

## BENEFIT FOR JOHN KIENOW

**Will Be Held Saturday Evening at Concordia Hall in This City**

At Concordia hall next Saturday evening a benefit dance will be given for John Kienow, a well known Janesville boy who is now ill. Mr. Kienow was a member of Prof. Johnny Smith's orchestra. He enlisted in the Spanish-American war and while in service was taken ill. There will undoubtedly be a large attendance. Prof. Smith's orchestra of ten pieces will play. Tickets are but fifty cents.

**Electric Vehicles For Hire.**

Milwaukee, Feb. 7.—Milwaukee is to have electric vehicles for hire within the next thirty days the city will see electric vehicles on the street doing the work of horse carriages, cabs and bunks. The Woods Electric Vehicle Company was incorporated today with a capital of \$100,000. The officers of the company comprise some of the young business men of the city.

## BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP

If your house you've failed to rent, try a "want" ad.

To be healthy, wealthy and wise you need a "want" ad.

"An uncut diamond"—our No. 2 nut coal. Janesville Coal Co.

A phenomenal heat producer—our Pocahontas coal. Janesville Coal Co.

Very low rates to New Orleans, La., and Mobile, Ala., via C. M. & St. P. Ry account of Mardi Gras carnivals. Tickets will be on sale Feb. 13th to 25th inclusive, with final return limit up to and including March 15th.

It's the old, old story, yet ever new and true—lady advertised in our want ads, to rent some rooms, and now says she could have filled a hotel if she had accepted all the applicants.

An Sharon Monday evening a chapter of the Eastern Star was organized by Wilbur F. Carle, of this city. Those who accompanied him were Mesdames Charles A. Sanborn, Carle, W. H. Ashcraft, H. L. McNamara, W. H. Merritt, of this city and Mrs. J. H. Dower of Madison.

While the classes are being formed for instruction in the Myers system of book keeping and office work, Mr. Myers will call upon the business men of the city personally. A marked interest is being taken in the work; many people have already expressed a desire to join Mr. Myers classes for the instruction.

**Queer Official Gifts.**

London's court aldermen yearly make presents to the crown ministers and other officials. The gifts consist of black "livery cloth," four and a half yards of which were given to each of these: The lord chancellor, the lord chief justice, the master of the rolls, the lord chamberlain, the vice chamberlain, the lord steward, the treasurer and controller of the household, the home secretary, the foreign secretary, the attorney general, the solicitor general, the recorder, the town clerk and the common sergeant.

## WHAT DO THE CHILDREN DRINK?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing, and takes the place of coffee. The more GRAIN-O you give the child the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grade of coffee, but costs about 1/4 as much. All grocers sell it. 15c. and 25c.

## ENGINEER ROGERS PLEADED NOT GUILTY

### THE CASE WAS CALLED THIS MORNING AND ADJOURNED.

**Charge is That Engineer Rogers Blocked North Main Street on January 29—Jackson & Jackson Appeared for the Milwaukee Road, and F. C. Burpee for City.**

Before Judge O. L. Fifield of the Rock county municipal court at 9 o'clock this morning was called the case of the city of Janesville vs. Amos O. Rogers. The defendant pleaded not guilty to the charge of blocking certain portions of North Main street on January 29. An adjournment was taken till February 9 at 9 o'clock.

Jackson & Jackson appeared in behalf of the defendant and City Attorney Burpee represented the city of Janesville. Mr. Rogers is an engineer on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad. The complaint was sworn out by R. J. Richardson, proprietor of the Globes Works, located at the corner of Main street and Fourth avenue. Mr. Richardson alleges that on January 29 the street was blocked as the result of too many freight cars on the tracks of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad company and that such cars were switched into position by Engineer Rogers.

Half Rates to Lincoln, Neb. Via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

For the convention of N. C. B. M. Ass'n at Lincoln, Neb., the C. M. & St. P. Ry. will sell excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip on Feb. 17th, 18th and 19th, good to return until Feb. 20th.

**THEODORE GOLDIN**

**LECTURED ON CUSTER**

**Clerk of the Rock County Circuit Court Entertained Many at Racine. Last Evening.**

At the city of Racine last evening in the Y. M. C. A. hall, Theodore Goldin of this city, clerk of the Rock county circuit court, delivered an interesting lecture, taking for his subject, "The Last Days of Custer."

Long before the hour of the lecture every seat in the large auditorium was occupied. The lecture was one of the course and proved to be one of the most instructive and entertaining.

Mr. Goldin is a survivor of the famous Custer force and his description of this great American fighter was one long to be remembered. At the close of the lecture the speaker was greeted with hearty and prolonged applause.

**An Erroneous Impression.**

To the Editor: A report current about Janesville to the effect that the Independent Order of Foresters has closed its career is causing some trouble to members of the order in this city. The report is wholly unfounded, and is probably the result of carelessness on the part of those making the assertion. The Illinois Foresters, an entirely different organization, has, it is reported, gone into the hands of a receiver, and it is this report which is the cause of the trouble. The I. O. F. is now in the zenith of its prosperity, having a reserve fund of about \$3,750,000, and the Janesville Court has increased its membership 100 per cent in the last eighteen months.

E. H. WINNEY,  
C. R. Court Janesville, 977, I. O. F.

"Woodman spare that tree," and use our No. 2 nut coal. Janesville Coal Co.

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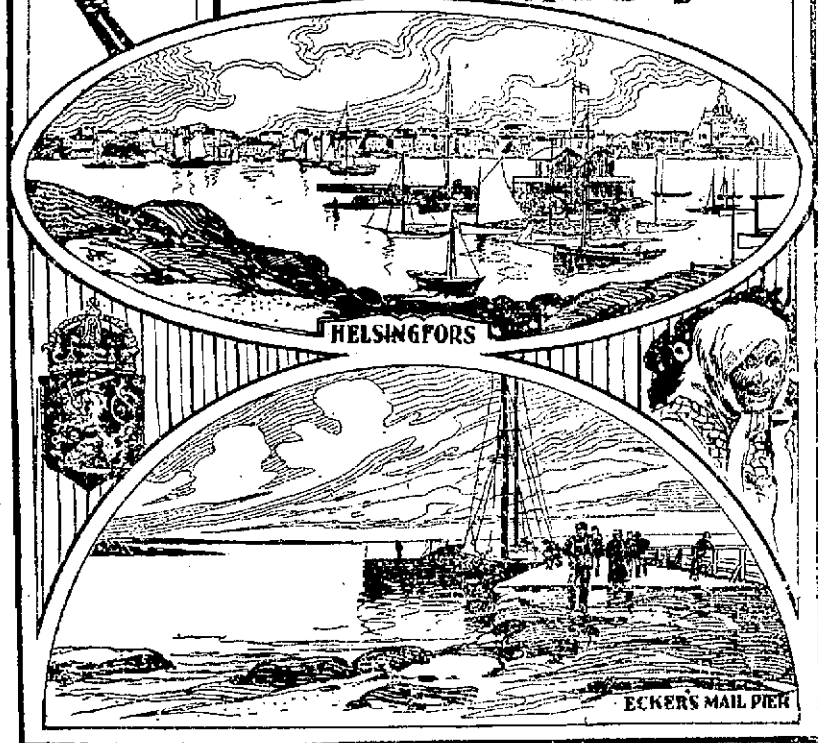


1. The first step is to identify the problem or question that needs to be answered. This involves understanding the context and the specific requirements of the task.



# The Exodus of The Finns.

BY ANDREW DOWNS



The Finns are leaving Finland. They are quitting the land of bogs and fens because in their native land they are no longer a free people. The Russian bear, "the bear that walks like a man," has reached a great paw across the border and is scratching the name of Finland off the map. As Poland has disappeared, so will Finland disappear, and in anticipation of that evil day the exodus of the Finns has begun.

It is to America that they are coming. A conservative estimate by immigration agencies and the Finnish-American press places the number of Finnish immigrants already arrived in this country since last March at 12,000. Most of them have located in Michigan, the Dakotas, California and Alaska.

In New York a company has been formed to aid the Finnish immigrants and to form a large colony of Finns either in Canada or in the far western states of America. Over 20,000 heads of families have already entered into a contract with the Finnish representatives of the American company, and next spring will see one of the heaviest immigrations ever undertaken from the northern countries.

It is estimated that during the spring and early summer months more than 55,000 Finns will have escaped from the Russian bear to take up the task of building new homes either in the United States or Canada.

The Russian government is doing all that it can to stem this tide of emigration, for the bear does not wish a deserted land. It desires a nation of slaves and cares little for the rugged, sea-invested acres unless the hardy native folk remain to till them.

Baron V. M. von Born, one of the prominent men of Finland, a few weeks ago secured permission from the Finnish senate to send his son, Ernst Victor, a minor, to England to be educated. Governor General Bobrikoff refused his consent, nor did he permit an appeal to be made by the baron to the czar, but returned the application to the senate. He also issued orders to the governors of all the provinces to immediately report to him the number of immigrants who have left their respective provinces and instructed them to refuse passports to all intending immigrants until further orders.

It is rumored in Finland that if the governor general cannot prohibit immigration he will raise the present immigration tax of 2½ marks per person to such a high figure that few of the people can afford to pay the tax.

The Russian censorship is so strict and the system of opening letters passing through the Finnish postoffice addressed to foreign countries being a notorious fact, little of what transpires in Finland has reached the continent of Europe, and it is mostly through Swedish sources that information of events in Finland reach the outside world.

The Swedish-Finnish press is so hampered with regulations issued by the governor general as to exist barely in name. According to a recent edict, a Russian newspaper is to be established at Helsingfors, the Finnish capital. Thirty thousand Finnish marks to aid the publishers has been ordered to be paid by the Finnish treasury, and an annual grant of 30,000 marks is to be paid until the newspaper is self-supporting. Finnish merchants and other advertisers have received a hint that they must patronize the Russian organ.

These are but samples of the oppression to which the Finns are being subjected. They are even threatened with the loss of their religious liberty, for it has been rumored that the Greek church was to be established in the place of the Lutheran, which is now the prevailing faith of Finland. No one familiar with the czar's dream of making himself a second pope will for an instant doubt his readiness to substitute cathedrals for the simple churches in which the Finns now worship.

So these people are coming to us. They will be welcomed here, for never in the history of the country has a

body of immigrants of more desirable character come to our shores. These Lutheran peasants are not only intelligent and industrious, but they are people of high moral character. They are homesteaders, and the homemaker is ever the best citizen.

Like a bolt from a clear sky came, less than a year ago, the imperial edict of the czar which deprived the Finns of the right of self government. It was a clear breach of faith. Finland is a grand duchy and was at one time attached to Sweden. It was a sort of buffer state between Russia and Sweden in their long wars. When, in 1808, Russia finally conquered the Finns were solemnly assured by Alexander I that they should retain all their rights, their customs, usages, religion and their national identity. So the Finns rejoiced. There was national renaissance, and the foundation was laid for that surprising progress which Finland has shown during the last 25 years.

In 1890 Russia began to show her hand. In that year Alexander III took measures tending to unite the country more closely with Russia and for spreading the Russian language among the Finns. The opposition which was naturally aroused was rigorously put down; the Finnish press was gagged as effectually as the press of Russia; the councils of state of Russia and of the Finnish senate were called to St. Petersburg for the purpose of removing the characteristic features of the coinage, customs and the railway and postal systems of Finland. The opposing senators were removed from office; the Finnish postal system was turned over to Russian management; the new criminal code of Finland was suspended; the Russian language was ordered to be taught in the intermediate schools of Finland, and many other measures were adopted to hasten the dismemberment of the nation. The acts of Russia toward the Finns since that time have been aimed at the same object.

By a recent order of the Russian governor general the Finns are not even allowed to sing their own old and well-loved songs in public places. Instead they are requested to substitute the Russian national anthem.

The police departments, which are now Russian, have received orders to furnish the governor general with a list of every secret and public society or club, the names of the officers and the purpose of the organization. The Freemasons are included in this order. The Finnish landtag, or legislative body, meeting in May, as all of its ancient privileges have been repealed by the governor general, will now be merely a body with an official name without any power.

Within the past few weeks a petition signed by 522,931 representative men was sent to St. Petersburg in care of a deputation of the most prominent Finns. The czar refused to receive them, referring the petition to Governor General Bobrikoff. In Helsingfors alone, the capital of Finland, 450,000 marks was raised in a few days for the expenses of circulating the petition.

As a country Finland is unique as regards its formation and growth, its geology and hydrography. It has been called the land of a thousand lakes. At the same time it is a waterway of a thousand islands. Its scarp coast projects into a rough and tempestuous sea, and the gulfs of Finland and Bothnia gather the land in their embrace.

It has been said that the lakes are the despair of Finnish geographers, as no schoolbook or even map can give a really accurate list of their names or even of the number. So that the poetical estimate of the land of a thousand lakes falls far short in fact. For, as we read somewhere, "the land is surrounded by water, intersected and underlain by water," hence the bogs and morasses and its name of Fenland or Suome.

But the Finns love this rugged country of theirs as much as the Swiss loves his glorious mountains, and they leave it only because if they remain there they cannot hold their freedom. So, in spite of the growlings of the bear, they are coming across the seas to America, where they will find plenty of freedom and lots of room.



## Your Body is Like a Machine

The different organs are like cogs and wheels. The blood is the lubricant which keeps all in good running order.

If your sewing machine or typewriter gets out of order, you have it repaired immediately. That is what you should do with the delicate machine you call your body.

One of the organs quickest to get out of order on account of the strain put upon it, is the kidneys, and the medicine which has achieved the best result in repairing them is MORROW'S

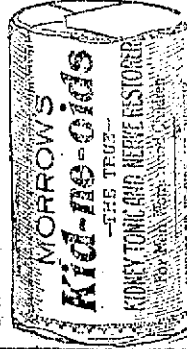
## KID-NE-OIDS

It goes straight to the root of the trouble and stops the backache, scalding and discolored urine, the sleeplessness and nervousness. There is no doubt that it is the best remedy in the world for kidney disease. Put it in daily tablet form, easy to take, free at drug stores. Enough for about a week's treatment.

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Healthy urine is clear, and does not stain. Put some in a glass and let it stand 24 hours. If there is a sediment at the bottom, get Kid-Ne-Oids at once. It means your kidneys are affected. Free booklet for the asking.



Mr. C. B. Conrad, wholesale dealer in meat, 36 South Main street, says: "For some time past, as a result of a dried kidney and uric acid poisoning, I suffered from pain in the small of my back, rheumatism and spells of nervousness. MORROW'S Kid-Ne-Oids soon conquered the backache and rheumatism and quieted and strengthened my nerves. I will advise all who are suffering from kidney complaint to use Kid-Ne-Oids."

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## A DOCTOR WHO CURES.

It is thought to be beyond dispute that a celebrated Chicago physician, Dr. N. E. Wood, has the most extensive practice in treating chronic and nervous diseases of any physician in the United States.

Not only is he constantly occupied as President and Chief of the faculty of the great Chicago Medical and Surgical Institute, but he has several trained assistants who are equally busy in attending to his practice, which extends into almost every state and territory.

How Dr. Wood obtained his enormous practice our readers will be interested to learn. When a medical student, in addition to the usual course of lectures and study, he received private and special instruction in the diagnosis and treatment of a class of diseases which are usually neglected in the courses prescribed by all American medical colleges.

He became convinced that this important class of diseases did not receive the attention deserved from the medical profession, and he decided upon a course which would enable him to study these diseases closely and accurately. He kept a most careful record of every case he treated, of which there were thousands every year. He had case books printed for his special use, containing cuts of the human figure, upon which the various lesions and symptoms were carefully located. These proved very valuable. He was constantly on the alert for new facts which were always carefully and accurately recorded.

The treatment which he employed in each case was also carefully recorded and a tabulated record of the results of treatment kept. In this way nothing could be forgotten, and the results were that he discovered new and most valuable methods of treating diseases of this character.

After thus carefully and scientifically investigating the most favorable means of combating diseases in the largest hospitals of America, Dr. Wood extended his research to the medical centers of Europe, visiting in turn the hospitals of London, Paris, Berlin, Vienna and Heidelberg, taking every advantage of the wonderful facilities for acquiring accurate knowledge in the treatment of a much neglected class of diseased conditions, to which he has since given his undivided attention.

### In the Dissecting Room.

In Germany he made an arrangement with a large college hospital which enabled him to dissect a great many subjects, which fortunately included the cadavers of many persons who had died from the effects of various chronic and nervous diseases.

While thus engaged in scientifically investigating the cause of disease, his efforts were rewarded by the discovery which has been a boon to the human race, the ulterior cause of some of the most distressing diseases which afflict mankind.

The cause found, the means of relief was not difficult. He returned to America, perfected his system of treatment and at once began to demonstrate that he had really made a great discovery, and subsequent years of practice has confirmed and proven it a priceless blessing to mankind.

Dr. Wood is evidently an originator as well as a thorough student and indefatigable worker. His extensive correspondence and practice are reduced to a perfect system. It is a mystery to many how he can attend to his numerous patients.

In his office are filed over one hundred volumes filled with records of cases which he has treated, and some of them contain hundreds of pages. He also has a large number of remarkable testimonials, from bankers, ministers, lawyers, railway managers, editors, physicians, governors, congressmen and others in almost every walk of life.

The celebrated Prof. Thompson of London, speaking of Dr. Wood, says: "He is a man of indomitable energy, keen perception and tenacity of purpose, and natural ability to accomplish any object he may undertake, who would be found in the front rank of any profession; being possessed of that peculiar talent which enables him to obtain immediate mastery over the most perplexing medical problems. He has the faculty of pleasing and inspiring his patients in the most remarkable manner. I have seen hundreds of persons consult him, who were at death's door with some terrible disease, come from his presence full of life, confidence and joy, and in every way feeling better, who improved from that hour. What he does to these dying sufferers I can not tell. He certainly cures them and charms them in a remarkable way. He does not undertake any incurable cases, but gives life and hope and health to thousands given up to die."—Chicago Journal.

### Antediluvian, Indeed.

Frances Rachel always expects a story to while away the time while she is being prepared for bed.

The other night her mother was telling her of the heroism of Colonel Fred Punston before Calumet. Then she went back to a recital of the adventures of the different periods of his life.

"The article says," said mamma, "that he has the spirit of a sixteenth century cavalier—that he belongs to that period instead of the nineteenth century."

"What?" questioned the little girl, not quite comprehending.

"Why, he ought to have lived in the sixteenth century."

"Oh," said Frances Rachel, with a look of comprehension, adding quickly, "But that was 500 years ago. Why how old his mother must have been!"

### Appendicitis.

Appendicitis is not the surely fatal disease it has been often regarded. Professor Nothagel of Vienna finds that not less than 50 per cent of the cases run a simple course and recover under purely medical treatment. He states that opiates should be given but no purgatives. There need be no unnecessary if the patient has no movement of the bowels for six or eight days.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

### Opposed to Innovations.

In Tantah, the third largest town in Egypt, there are 70,000 people living in about 8,500 houses, and lately wells were dug by an enterprising company to give them pure drinking water. But the inhabitants prefer to get muddy, contaminated water from the canal which their ancestors had always used, and the company is financially a failure so far.—New York Post.

### The Tagalog Is a Willy Foe.

The hunted one is a barefooted little brown man, in cotton shirt and trousers, who, equally courageous, has more skill than the old foe of our army, the American Indian. Without infusion of foreign blood, the Tagalog mind is simple only to the white man, who looks upon the smiling Tagalog face for the first time. While it is an enigma to us, the half-breed leader, polite, subtle, often well educated, if not the graduate of a Spanish university, can play upon his moods as upon the strings of a harp.—From "White Man and Brown Man in the Philippines," by Frederick Palmer, in the January Scribner's.

### Playing Cards.

The amount of playing cards used in the world is something wonderful. The United States manufactures great quantities, and also imports many for use. Germany possesses thirty-four playing-card factories, which last year produced 5,200,000 packs. Of this quantity 4,387,000 went into circulation, paying a duty of 1-420,000 marks. No duty is paid on those exported, of which a large part come to this country.

### Their Own Ammunition.

A large amount of the small-arms ammunition now being used by the Boers against the English troops is of British manufacture. As late as 1895 a large English cartridge firm, the president of which is Mr. Arthur Chamberlain, the colonial secretary's brother, supplied the Boer government with millions of rounds of ammunition. This transaction was, of course, well known to the British at the time.

### A Large Brush in China Painting.

In painting china a smooth effect is desirable in shading one tint into another of the same color, as in a leaf or rose petal or a grape, where one color fades off and the other commences, must not be detected. This can only be accomplished by means of a large brush. A large surface can more easily be covered and smoothed into shape by this means than any other method produces better effect than by adding, which is apt to give work a "spotted" appearance, says Art Inter-

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#### When They Rise.

The Kaiser rises at 5 o'clock, swallows a cup of coffee and then begins work. The Emperor Francis Joseph is about at 7 o'clock, and breakfasts on coffee and buttered toast. The king of Italy, the king of Sweden, the king of the Belgians, the king of Denmark, the sultan and the prince of Bulgaria rise at the same hour as ordinary mortals. The record for indolence is held by ex-King Milan. He retires to rest at peep of day, rises at midday and takes a long time over his breakfast.

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